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FOUR MURDER CASES TRIED AT CIRCUIT COURT TERM—OTHERS HEARD

Three Weeks of Court Finds the Docket Being Cleared by Judge W. A. White—A Number of Cases were Tried, Settled or Continued To Next Term.

Circuit court now in session in Hancock County with Judge W. A. White on the bench will run into three weeks, continuing through next week. This is the longest term the circuit court has held in this county in a number of years, the usual term being a week or ten days.

The term is featured by four murder trials and a fourth incident regarding a shooting this week may be tried this term. The first murder case was tried last week in which Hubert Fulton, colored, pleaded guilty to manslaughter in the death of Gus Lewis, colored, four years ago, and he was sentenced to six years in the penitentiary.

The second murder trial was that of "Kew" Simmons, held in the slaying two years ago of Philip Peterson near Standard community following an argument regarding some liquor. Simmons was found not guilty. He is the second man to have been tried and released in this case, the first being Harvey Seals. A third man said to be implicated in the death of Peterson, Frank Windham, escaped jail and is still at large. Simmons was again placed in the Hancock county jail following the trial being held by Sheriff J. C. Jones. Jackson authorities, who are said to want Simmons for jail break, and he remains in jail in lieu of \$500 bond. Simmons was arrested following the Peterson death and placed in a Jackson jail from which he escaped being apprehended recently, and it is in relation to this jail break that he is now held.

The third trial in the death of Lum Maun, saw Arthur Kysar, pleading guilty to manslaughter and receiving a sentence of five years in the penitentiary. Oakley Ryals, held in the same case was released, his case being not pressed after Kysar's admission.

Other Cases Tried.

About 11 cases have been tried and settled or continued at this term of court. Among these are that of three brothers, Rayford, C. V. and Laydon, charged with hog thievery, and in which the first two named were discharged and the third tried, resulting in a mistrial. A case of the state vs. Julian Chouest for trapping was not pressed. Anton Hall vs. Edward Hines Lumber Company, continued; Luther Cameron vs. this same lumber company, settled; The Hamel vs. this company, settled; R. C. Gatlin vs. this company, settled. That of Dora Price vs. Oswald Ogden resulted in a judgment of \$100. Chas. L. Gresson, Jr., vs. the L. & N. railroad was continued as was Jules Favre, vs. the L. & N. N. T. Buehler vs. A. T. Perry was passed for settlement. Some five additional cases are to be tried.

COUNTY TEACHERS SATURDAY

B. Frank Brown of Gulfport Is Speaker—New Officers Take Their Places.

The October meeting of the Hancock County Teachers' Ass'n will meet at Bay St. Louis High School Saturday morning, 10:30 o'clock. B. Frank Brown, superintendent of Gulfport city schools, will be the speaker of the occasion. Mr. Brown is well known as a state educator and is a past president of the Mississippi Educational Association. The music for the occasion will be furnished by the Bay St. Louis Municipal Band under the direction of H. H. Ramsay. At this meeting the newly elected officers of the association will take charge. These officers elected in September are: president, C. P. Barker, superintendent of Sellers School; vice-president, E. E. Lumpkin, superintendent of Kiln school; secretary, Miss May Colson, member of Gulfview school faculty.

At the close of the program Saturday the departmental meetings will be held. Heads of the departments are high school, Rev. S. F. Powell, superintendent at Lumberton school and S. J. Ingram, superintendent of Bay St. Louis schools; intermediate department, Miss Lois Quinn, of the Bay St. Louis faculty; primary department, Mrs. S. Doby of Kiln faculty.

C. of C. To Meet

The Bay St. Louis Chamber of Commerce will meet Tuesday night, October 6, 8 o'clock. The main item of business to be transacted will be the election of officers. Ballots for naming of directors were mailed last week and are expected to be returned to the C. of C. rooms in time to be counted for the meeting. A special appeal is made to all members to attend the meeting.

GRAND JURY RECALLED THURSDAY

Shooting Affray This Week Causes Judge to Reconstitute Grand Jury.

The grand jury which was dismissed by Judge W. A. White following presentation of its report, was reconstituted Thursday (today) to determine culpability in a shooting affray which occurred Monday in the Nease Crossing section in which Johnnie Ladner was wounded, and his brother, Moise Ladner, was arrested and is held in the Hancock county jail awaiting the action of the grand jury.

It is understood that the wounded man suffered through his neck which have partially paralyzed speech and action of the throat.

No details of the shooting are known, but it is understood that Johnnie Ladner was at his home assisting his wife by holding a calf while the wife milked the cow and that the shooting was from ambush, no vision being gained of the man doing the shooting. Blood hounds were secured from Gulfport, taken to the scene by Jeff Fairley and after a five mile trail are said to have led to the home of Moise Ladner, even to the bed in which he slept. It is said that there is a feud of long standing between these two brothers and that they were not friendly.

RIGOLETS FREE AUTO BRIDGE TO OPEN THIS WEEK END

Original Cost of Work Reduced—Day and Night Forces Complete Repairs.

With favorable weather, the Louisiana Highway Commission expects to complete repairs and throw the Rigollets free bridge on the Chef Menteur route, open to traffic again this week.

Announcement to this effect came from Norman E. Lant, state highway engineer in charge of the repairs, from Baton Rouge, Tuesday.

Since the bridge was damaged and closed August 15, traffic to the East, North and the Gulf Coast has been using the Pontchartrain toll bridge. Day and night shifts have been worked on the repairs and the original estimate of October 10 for completion of the work has been materially reduced. All concrete floor slabs have been poured and workmen were removing the forms, Tuesday. Quick hardening concrete has been used in this construction, thereby hastening the work.

The aliphatic topping on the bridge floor will be the last work and with good weather, the engineers say the bridge will open and the free route again will be in full service.

PARENT-TEACHERS MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

The Parent-Teachers Association of Central High School will launch its intensive membership campaign next week when a house to house canvass of all patrons will be made to enlist into the P. T. A. every person who has children in school or friends of the school. The month of September is being devoted throughout the State of Mississippi to the securing of members so that the goal of 20,000 may be achieved. The local association hopes to have completed its membership drive and be ready to report its quota secured by the October meeting.

EQUIPS MUSIC ROOM

An attractive music room has been equipped by Mrs. Orie M. Pollard of the Oriole Tea Room, who has fitted up a cottage to the north of the tea house. The walls of the room have been painted in cream and the floor in orange. The furniture is a group of antiques suited to this space, including a couch newly upholstered in gay cretonne, a gate leg table and dressing table and two chairs. The windows are curtained with gay hangings in purple and yellow tones. The piano complements the furnishings. This room supplies a happy practice room for Mrs. Pollard, vocalist, and her young son, Bobby, who is learning the piano.

FATHER OF BAY SAINT LOUIS RESIDENT MEETS LEATH IN LA. WATERS

Victim Was Mayor of Ponchatoula Three Times—Despondency Over Failing Health and Vision

Several persons, including C. E. Prescott and T. J. Coker of New Orleans, saw the aged man climb through the railing of the Pass Manchac bridge shortly after 8 A. M. and drop into the water below. Men in boats quickly reached the spot where he disappeared, and diving was resorted to in an effort to rescue him. However, he was dead when the body was found about an hour and a half later by Gene Hebert.

Mr. Edwards was a successful farmer and business man. He served three terms as mayor of Ponchatoula, but of late years he had made his home with a son at Manchac. Stricken with the infirmities of old age, he could hardly walk or see.

He is survived by four sons, Cecil, Edna, and Manchac, with whom he resided, Dan Edwards of White Castle, Albert Edwards of Virginia and Roy Edwards of New Orleans, and four daughters, Mrs. Pat Keachey and Mrs. Johnny Wilce of Ponchatoula, Mrs. Emile J. Lacoste of Bay St. Louis and Mrs. Mabel Brenneke of Dallas, Texas.

Mr. Edwards from time to time resided with his daughter, Mrs. Lacoste, in Bay St. Louis, then between times would stay with his son at Ponchatoula.

Mrs. Lacoste received a message Friday announcing her father's death and at once hastened to his home, unaware how he had met his death.

LEGION TO INSTALL THURSDAY

State Commander Luther W. Maples of Gulfport Will Be Guest of Honor.

The Clement R. Bontemps post of the American Legion will install the recently elected officers at a meeting Thursday night of this week at the Knights of Columbus hall.

Luther W. Maples of Gulfport, state commander, will be the guest of honor and will serve as installing officer. Mr. Maples has returned this week from Detroit where he represented the state of Mississippi at the National Convention of the American Legion and will give a report of this gathering.

Every member of the post is expected to be on hand for this important meeting.

BAY DISTRICT CATHOLIC WOMEN CONVENE IN BAY ST. LOUIS FOR MEETING

Large Gathering of Women From Long Beach to Ansley Hold Enthusiastic Meet—Main Business Transacted Dealt With Approaching Convention.

Bay St. Louis members were hostesses Friday afternoon, 3 o'clock, to the Bay Dist. of the National Council of Catholic Women at an enthusiastic meeting attended by about 50 delegates from the churches in Long Beach, Pass Christian, Bay St. Louis, Waveland, Lakeshore and Ansley, for the monthly session. This is one of the largest gatherings of this organization since its formation in the spring. The meeting was held in the pleasant auditorium at St. Joseph's Academy Memorial Hall.

Mrs. J. D. Nix, vice-president, presided at the meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. E. J. Lacoste whose father had died the day of the meeting.

The principal business transacted dealt with the approaching state convention which is to be held in Biloxi at the Buena Vista hotel October 25 and 26, the first state convention of the organization. The committees will be named in the Bay district members plan to attend as possible. Delegates and alternates were named from three churches, namely: Mrs. J. C. Liversedge and Miss Jane Lang, Pass Christian; Mrs. J. C. Clancy, Mrs. May Van Cloosters, Long Beach; Mrs. J. D. Nix, Waveland. The delegates from Bay St. Louis will be named following the meeting of St. Margaret's Daughters next Wednesday.

At the close of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed during which cake and punch was served by Mrs. Edna Carrere, hospitality chairman, Mrs. A. K. Roy, Miss Margaret Green and Mrs. Barry Glover.

FIVE BILLS FOUND BY GRAND JURY

Insufficient Evidence Found For Alleged Money Expenditures.

The grand jury of which Lamar Otis was foreman convened for this term of circuit court submitted its report to the court finding five true bills after an examination of ninety-one witnesses.

Regarding an investigation into alleged irregularities in the expenditure of the county's money in one or more of the bills the jury reports "insufficient evidence upon which to find a bill." However, the jury recommends that the members of the board of supervisors be "more careful in the expenditure of the people's funds and see that their office of member of the board is conducted on a more businesslike basis."

The jury reports that the county jail has been examined and found "in fair condition."

The jury's report in full is published as follows:

TO THE HONORABLE W. A.

WHITE, CIRCUIT JUDGE: We, the Grand Jury, duly elected, empanelled, sworn and charged to enquire in aid for the September Term, 1931 of the Circuit Court of Hancock county, respectfully submit this as our final report.

We have been in session three days. We have examined 91 witnesses and returned 5 True Bills.

We listened to your Honor's able charge with great interest and profit and have endeavored conscientiously to inquire into those matters about which your honor charged us to inquire.

We have examined the County Jail and find it in fair condition.

We have spent a good portion of our time in investigating purported irregularities in the expenditure of the County's money in one or more of the bills of the County and while we have been unable to find sufficient evidence upon which to find a bill, nevertheless we want to recommend to the members of the Board in question that they be more careful in the expenditure of the people's funds and see that their office of member of the Board is conducted on a more businesslike basis.

And now having finished our labors we respectfully request that we be discharged.

LAMAR OTIS,
Foreman of the Grand Jury.

Miss Loraine Curet Dies.

Miss Loraine Curet, aged 22, former resident of Kiln, died at New Orleans Thursday following an operation for appendicitis from which she did not rally. She has resided in New Orleans for the last several years. The body was shipped to Bay St. Louis Friday and was interred at Kiln cemetery Saturday with Rev. Denis, pastor of Kiln Catholic church officiating. The deceased is survived by her mother and three sisters.

GULF COAST TO HAVE PAVED HIGHWAY TO MEMPHIS, TENN.

Mississippi Governor-Elect Says Paving From Gulf Coast To Tennessee Line To Be First Major Project of Administration.

While in Memphis Saturday night Governor Mike Conner said the first piece of paved road building of consequence in Mississippi will give Gulfport and the Gulf Coast a paved highway after he takes office January 19.

"The paving of Highway No. 51, from Memphis to Gulfport is a matter of vital importance not only to the whole state of Mississippi but to Memphis and that work is going to get under way just as soon as possible after I take office," Mr. Conner said.

"I believe I will be safe in saying that it will be completed in two years after the work starts. At any rate it will be pushed as rapidly as is feasible with good business."

Not Misled by Task

The governor-elect of Mississippi is not in the least misled by the Herculean task that confronts him in bringing about better conditions in his home state.

Governor-elect Conner reached Memphis Saturday night and stopped for a short while with Memphis friends at Hotel Peabody where he was the dinner guest of Manager Frank Schutt. Mr. Conner left before midnight for Hot Springs where he will stay at least a week.

Highway No. 51 is the direct route between Chicago and New Orleans. It is known as the Jefferson Davis Highway and is the short route between Memphis and Chicago.

After crossing the Mississippi line Highway No. 51 goes through Sadsa, Genada, Winona, Canton and into Jackson. From Jackson south it passes through Brookhaven, McComb and on to New Orleans.

Leaving Jackson, the route to Gulfport is over Highway No. 49, by way of Hattiesburg. These are the two principal north and south highways in Mississippi.

Makes No Speeches.

John Wade, manager of the Edwards Hotel at Jackson, close friend and advisor of Mike Conner, accompanied by his physician, Dr. Julius Crisler, also of Jackson, comprised the party accompanying Mr. Conner to Hot Springs.

"Mr. Wade is not well and needs rest," the governor-elect said. "He refused to go to Hot Springs unless I went along, so here I am."

"I haven't made any speeches or talked at random about what is to be done in Mississippi, but I do feel that the results obtained will speak for themselves. It is quite sufficient to say that there is plenty that needs to be done in our state."

"I really think we ought to take Memphis into Mississippi," Mr. Conner remarked as he prepared to leave the hotel and go to his train. "Mississippi belongs to Mississippi and ought to be a part of our state. As a matter of fact, Mississippi was cheated out of two cities—Memphis and New Orleans."

Asks of Special Session.

He asked for information about the prospects of a special session of the Mississippi Legislature but disclosed any knowledge or whether or not Governor Bilbo would call the session.

Public Warned Against Bogus Pecan Purchases

The Chamber of Commerce issues a warning to the local people who have pecans to sell suggesting to them that they watch the purchase of their nuts, recalling the experiences of last year when would-be purchasers took the nuts and gave bogus checks for them. Cash, certified checks and utterly reliable methods of payment are suggested as acceptance for the nuts when sold. The pecan crop is beginning to ripen and in a very few days the nuts will be placed on the market, hence, the timely warning from the C. of C.

Child Is Lost And Found In City Store

Twenty minutes of extreme anxiety was relieved when two and a half year old Hardy Clark, young son of Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Clark of Bay St. Louis, was found on the fourth floor of Holmes New Orleans store, after he had disappeared from beside his parents on the second floor of the store. This anxious period occurred Tuesday while Rev. and Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Clark's aunt, Mrs. J. J. Stalling of Gulfport were shopping in the city. The baby was happily engaged beside his parents, their attention was distracted for a bit and the little fellow exploring found the "big stairs" and went up them. In a few moments after his absence was discovered every floor walker, elevator operator and doorman at the store was notified and after twenty minutes he was found on the fourth floor to which he climbed by the stairs. When found he was still exploring but on route down to the second floor began to ask for daddy and mother. No ill effects remain to the child from his experience as he refers to his trip up the big stairs when asked what he did in the city.

St. Margaret's Daughters

St. Margaret's Daughters will meet Wednesday afternoon, October 7, 3 o'clock, at the convent and a large attendance of the members is asked. Among the business to be transacted will be the naming of a delegate to the state convention of the National Council of Catholic Women which convenes in Biloxi, October 25-26.

BOY SCOUTS OBSERVE PARENTS' NIGHT WITH PLAY AND PICTURES

The Boy Scout Way, Play Written by Scoutmaster, Dr. E. J. Anderson, Was Presented by Troop Members—Two Scout Officials From New Orleans Participate.

The first "Parents' Night" of the Bay St. Louis Boy Scouts, Troop No. 208, was held Saturday night at the Central High school when the local troop presented a play and motion pictures were shown. The audience included practically all parents of the troop members and a number of friends.

Two distinguished visitors were in attendance at the meeting, Dr. S. H. McAfee, dentist and official of the Boy Scouts in New Orleans, and Harry Maxfield, field executive for the Scouts in New Orleans, also an educational picture on the care of teeth and a comic film. He spoke regarding Scout work appealing to the local boys to go forward in their fine work. Dr. McAfee is bandmaster of the Band of the Jerusalem Shrine Temple.

Mr. Maxwell explained Scout work and ideals. He presented to Edward Jones his commission as an assistant scoutmaster of the troop and presented second class badges to two troop members, Garland and Edward Anderson.

Music for the evening was furnished by the new electric victrola recently presented to the troop by Victor Cuevas of Bay Furniture Company.

All of the program for the evening was arranged by Dr. E. J. Anderson, Scoutmaster.

The Boy Scout Way, was the play presented by the members of the troop. This play was written and directed by Dr. E. J. Anderson, scoutmaster. The boys who took part in the play were: E. J. Anderson, Jr., Garland Anderson, Terrance Ansley, James Arnold, Porter Barnes, Heiman Bopi, Gordon Boswell, Jr., Geoffrey Bourgeois, Leo Bourgeois, Homer Carmichael, Lucien Carmichael, Duane de la Pointe, Jerry Dixon, Alton Irwin, Ulysses Jayard, Perry Ferchaud, George Ferchaud, J. B. Goldman, David Griffith, Jack Ingram, Charles Kergosen, Jack Peperdene, Alfonso Roy, Darrell Staughan, Fred Wright.

The next activity of the local boy scout troop will be the participation in the Boy Scout program at the Mississippi Coast Fair in Gulfport, October 26-31.

During the visit of Dr. McAfee in Bay St. Louis he took motion pictures of the Bay St. Louis troop and the boys in action.

ROTARIANS HEAR STATE SUPERVISOR

State High School Inspector Is Guest Speaker—Leo W. Seal Presided.

The Bay St. Louis Rotary Club at its Wednesday noon luncheon-meeting had as its guest-speaker Sam B. Hawthorn of Jackson, state high school inspector from the state department of education, a member of the Jackson Rotary Club.

Mr. Hawthorn spoke in pleasing fashion of phases of living philosophy suggesting ideals as backgrounds. In the absence of the president, Chas. G. Moreau who is in Hot Springs, the vice-president, Leo W. Seal, presided.

Golfers From Bay And Mobile To Meet

What promises to be an unusually pleasant informal friendly golf match is scheduled Sunday when a group of Bay St. Louis golfers will meet a group of seven golfers from Mobile, playing on the Great Southern golf course. The Bay St. Louis golfers, the greater number of whom will meet the visiting Mobilians include: Sidney Prague, R. L. Genin, C. C. McDonald, S. L. Engman, Fred Wright, Robert Mitchell, Walter J. Geis, Jr., L. S. Elliott and others. Mr. Prague just returned from a visit in Mobile, is responsible for the pleasure in store for the golfers as the Mobile group is coming to the Coast. In all probability an exchange match will be arranged with the Bay St. Louis group going to Mobile.

Attends College

A. S. McQueen left Wednesday last week for Hattiesburg where he will attend college until the Christmas holidays when he will return to Bay St. Louis and take office as Hancock county superintendent of education, to which he was elected in August.

Injures Head

Frank Culbertson of Lakeshore is a patient at the King's Daughters Emergency Hospital, where he was taken Wednesday suffering from a cut on his head sustained several days ago when he fell and struck an oyster shell; infection setting in and necessitating hospital treatment.

AUXILIARY TO LEGION CONVENES

Membership Has Been Doubled Since Spring, Now Working for Others.

The American Legion Auxiliary at the Clement R. Bontemps post held its monthly meeting Thursday night of last week at the home of the president, Mrs. Laurent Dickson. There were laid for the attendance of at least 50 per cent of the members at the tri-county meeting which was held in Gulfport October 3. Several reports of the auxiliaries were made and aid given to a number of needy cases.

Reports of the membership drive shows that the membership has doubled since the reorganization in the spring, and it is hoped with the work in progress this week to increase the original number of the auxiliary. The members are engaged in work on prospective members. A special appeal is made by Mrs. Dixon to all who are eligible to membership to communicate with her and learn details of what membership in the Auxiliary means.

The principal forms of membership are the wives, mothers, sisters and daughters of men who saw service in the world war. At the close of the meeting Thursday night a special hour was enjoyed during which refreshments were served.

127 MISSISSIPPI SOLONS TO HOLD NEW POSITIONS

State Legislature to See Many New Faces In Body For 1932-34 Service

Jackson, Miss., Sept. 27. Legislative service to 127 of the 134 members of the 1932-34 legislature will be a new experience.

A combination of statistics and new assembly prepared by George P. Power, Jackson, clerk of the house, revealed many interesting facts concerning the group, listing 142 married; 36 below the age of 40; 91 farmers; 169 native-born Mississippians; 78 Baptists and 161 members of the Masonic fraternity.

In the house, 61 of the 114 members will go forward in the legislative, while in the senate 22 of the 49 members will become members into the work.

Forty of the members are shown several still being in college and are widowers.

The average age of the legislature as figured by Mr. Power, is 44.7 years as compared with the average age of 47.6 of the 1928-31 legislature. The average age of the house members is 43.4 and the senate is 45.6. One of the members of the house is above 71 years of age. Between 11 and 60 is found a total of 91 members.

Two housewives adorn the new register, while one has a combination occupation of bricklayer and music teacher.

Lavy is a member himself bolstered with a list of 61; teachers, 22; merchants, 19; salesmen, 10; and insurance agents, 9.

Ten men list themselves as having connection with newspaper work. An undertaker, several justices of the peace and a sheriff also swell the membership.

Church preference shows: Baptists, 78; Methodist, 60; Presbyterian, 32; Episcopalian, 9; Catholic, 3; Christian, 5; five not given.

One member gave the date of his birth as "over 60 years ago." He is Senator Joe Cook of Columbus, R. F. D. No. 4. He is former president of State Teachers' college at Hattiesburg.

The legislature convenes January 5, (Tuesday) when the members formally take their seats. On January 18, the state officials, except the governor, are formally inducted into office with the governor's inauguration the following day, Tuesday, January 19.

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SUBMIT LIQUOR QUESTION TO REFERENDUM VOTE.

THE American Legion, in annual convention at Detroit last week, by an overwhelming majority demanded that Congress submit the liquor question to a referendum vote. The American Federation of Labor recently voiced its support of the same procedure in order that the entire people may by their ballots express their approval or disapproval of the Eighteenth Amendment. It is hard to say at this time whether congress will accede to the demands of the veterans and labor organizations, but with two such influential bodies requesting action we confidently believe it will not be long ere modification or repeal of the amendment will come.

DOES NOT MINCE WORDS.

Senator Joe T. Robinson of Arkansas, does not mince his words in speaking of "the great engineer" who occupies the White House. In an address at Springfield, Missouri last Saturday night the Arkansas senator declared that President Hoover's "indecision and lack of leadership have added to the distress incident to the major depression which is gripping every form of industry and business," and that his "administration has forfeited confidence and the right to a continuance in authority." Referring to the Hawley-Smoot tariff act, the passage of which was urged and sanctioned by Mr. Hoover, the senator charged that it had contributed in large measure to unemployment and business stagnation by the restriction of foreign markets and the reduction of domestic consumption.

OVER PRODUCTION OF COTTON.

ONE good thing is going to result from this overproduction of cotton. Our agriculturists in the future will grow more food and feed products for animal and human consumption. The millions of dollars that annually go out of Mississippi to the North and West is what has impoverished those engaged in raising cotton as "a money crop," but we believe they have now learned from bitter experience the folly of such a practice.

Few criminals believe that the truth will set them free.

The hardest part of most hard jobs is getting started.

The real politicians are now predicting "land-slides."

Perfect crimes can be explained by imperfect police functions.

Facts are real, regardless of what pessimists or optimists say.

One way to save your money is to be suspicious of propositions.

If next winter is as cold as the summer was hot it will be fine for Polar bears.

Giving away somebody else's money is easy, even when it is the government's.

A lot of people in Bay St. Louis suspended the gold and silver standard some years ago.

Personally we are for disarmament, but there is a limit beyond which it would be unsafe to go.

Progress along educational lines might be noted if some college would specialize in educating its students.

Economists point out that farmers have plenty to eat, but who thinks that all a farmer wants to do is to eat.

Any mother who has raised as many as two children will hesitate to advise another mother how to raise her child.

A 74-year-old Vicksburg woman, Miss Rosa Dew Stansbury, has been selected as the most likely successful claimant to a \$100,000,000 fortune left by a distant relative in New York.

Judge Paul B. Johnson, late candidate for governor, has filed suit against the Jackson Daily News for \$200,000, charging libel. The outcome of the case will be watched with interest.

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed a compress and 1500 bales of cotton at Hazlehurst last Saturday, resulting in a loss of nearly a half million dollars on which there was only partial insurance.

Benjamin W. Davis of Savannah, Georgia, held in an insane hospital since his conviction on a murder charge in 1921, has been declared sane. Being returned to Savannah for resentencing, the court fixed October 30 as the date for his execution.

Hattiesburg is to have a box and crate manufacturing factory which will give employment to more than one hundred men. The new factory will be in operation within a few weeks, and will be a most welcome addition to the Hub City's industrial enterprises.

NOT AN ENVIABLE RECORD.

ACCORDING to Dr. R. N. Whitfield, head of our State bureau of vital statistics, there were two hundred and twenty persons murdered in Mississippi during the first six months of this year, and up to date there has been only two legal executions.

Such a record is one that should cause the peace loving and law abiding citizenship of our commonwealth to realize that one of two things, either put an end to the commission of murder, or admit that a large element of the State's population is drifting back to barbarism.

With a more enlightened citizenship and more leaders and teachers of morals and religion than ever before in the history of the State, it is or may be difficult for some otherwise intelligent people to understand why murder is of such frequent occurrence. To our mind it may be laid to a single cause: The miscarriage of justice. Mississippi juries have failed in their duty by returning verdicts of not guilty in trials where conviction should have been had. So often has such been the case that men with murder in their hearts have ceased to fear conviction and do not hesitate to slay their fellowmen on the slightest provocation or no provocation at all.

The law nor the court judge is in no manner responsible for the increasing number of homicides being committed throughout the State, but that responsibility rests upon the entire citizenship of Mississippi, and until they wish to correct conditions we may expect the same to go from bad to worse.

Think of it—an average of one murder each day of the first six months of 1931. It is an enviable record!

LIFE SPAN IS NOT LONGER.

MANY readers of The Echo are under the impression that the life span of man has increased within the recent century. The fact is, however, that this is not true and the capacity of man to live a longer life is no better than that of his ancestors.

The confession arises out of the application of sanitary science in the past century, which has brought more people through the hitherto dangerous period of infancy, permitting them to survive into childhood, early adult life and maturity. For this reason, the "expectation of life" is eighteen years more than it was a century ago but the individual capacity to live more years has not increased.

To explain this, one should remember that the expectation of life is based on the average death age of individuals. It is obvious that this average age will advance if the lives of infants and young children are saved, regardless of the fact that old men and women continue to die at the appointed three score years and ten.

SHOULD DISTRIBUTE JOBS.

The average American will subscribe to the doctrine that if there should be a shortage of food in this country the supply should be distributed among the people in order that all, by sparing use, might live.

The American Federation of Labor is urging that if there is a shortage of jobs in the country, they be apportioned so that all workers might have a chance to earn a living.

The Federation is right. If the so-called machine age has permanently taken from American workers the opportunity for all to find employment, then a five-day week is in order at once so that the work can be divided among the workers.

It may be that the shortage of jobs is temporary. Even so, while the condition exists there is no reason why a five-day week should not be set in motion in some of the key industries in order that employment may be afforded as many men as possible.

SPEED CAUSES ACCIDENT.

California recently increased its automobile speed limit from 40 to 50 miles per hour. Highway officials of that State feel that the increase has resulted in a greater number of accidents and deaths.

"Motorists should bear in mind," says the statistician of that Department, "that increasing the speed limit from 40 to 50 miles an hour was increasing the rate an automobile travels from 58 feet per second to 66 feet per second. This is a tremendously important factor when an emergency arises."

"Practically all the deaths which occurred in these accidents can be traced to fast driving," he stated. "When two cars traveling at 50 or 60 miles an hour come together, somebody is going to get killed. A collision at 25 miles an hour may mean little more than dented fenders, or broken glass."

A BETTER CHANCE.

Increased educational facilities throughout the United States have given every boy and girl a better chance for an education than ever before. One out of every six may expect to finish college and one out of every two to complete high school. The Federal Office of Education says:

"Federal Office of Education facts show that the average American boy or girl of 1931 receives two more years of schooling than the average boy or girl of 1914; that he is one of a class of 30 pupils, while his father's 1910 class had 34 pupils; that his chances of going to high school, which were but 1 in 10 in 1900 are now 50-50, and his chances of going to college are 1 in 6."

CAREFULLY STORE FIREARMS.

Parents of Hancock county should carefully place pistols, guns and other weapons out of the reach of children.

Almost every day some child is killed in the United States through the handling of a firearm by another child, who usually "finds it" where the parents "thought" it was safely hidden.

MAKES SUCCESSFUL TRIAL FLIGHT.

The Akron, the world's largest air craft, made its trial flight last week and proved itself a success. The giant dirigible is considerably larger than the German Graf Zeppelin.

VIEWS OF OUR NEWS

By Chicagoan

A Review of the News of Last Week's Echo.

CHICAGO, ILL., Sept. 29.—Introducing Senator Pat Harrison to the members of the Bay St. Louis Rotary who already knew the Senator but pleased to listen to him, County Attorney E. J. Gex, predicted that the Democratic ticket of 1932 would be Roosevelt and Harrison. Senator Pat replied that he was seeking no other honors than the one already conferred upon him by the people of Mississippi. And as the Rotarians listened to him extolling his views and his position on so many vital national questions, they realized that there were good reasons for Mr. Harrison continuing his service in the Senate. However, if Gov. Roosevelt is the presidential candidate, the second place on the ticket will go to the South. And Senator Harrison may have to dodge quickly to prevent the mantle from falling on his shoulders.

Ever see a copy of the Echo in the postoffice wastebasket? I'm repeating the question in last week's paper which told of the waste observed when circulars are used for advertising purposes. No, you will seldom see a copy of the Echo anywhere but in a home or on a business man's desk. If one ever finds its way to the wastebasket, you may be sure that it was thrown there for effect by some disgruntled subscriber who then went over to his neighbor's and read the paper. "No other thing, a copy of the paper wouldn't remain in the waste basket very long. It would be rescued by some chap who had promised his wife to subscribe for the Echo and who would take this copy home so he could clink the two dollars together in his pocket for another week. No form of advertising is as valuable as that done in newspapers, and some of the other forms of publicity are absolutely worthless."

Back in the "seventies" a certain statesman referring to the proposed resumption of specie payments became somewhat famous because he said that the way to "rescue" is to resume. Considering the call for reduction of local taxes, President Emilio Cue and his fellow members of the Board of Supervisors are of the opinion that the way to "reduce" is to reduce. And so, we were told in last week's paper, the annual budget slashed almost in half. That hasn't been done without "hurting" some feelings somewhere. And unless Hancock County is different from most other places, some of those who will object to the budget cuts are the same citizens who have been loudest in their demands for lowered taxes. It takes courage as well as ability to successfully handle an administrative office these days.

Well now, here's a good one! The Herbert Hoover Filling Station has closed its doors, says a dispatch from D'Lo. Now I know there are some who are decidedly of the opinion that the Hoover "filling stations" have closed since the Hoover food administrator satisfied the cravings of a hungry Belgium. But I'll get into no arguments, and if the filling station that was on the road between D'Lo and Braxter wishes to dispose of the sign, I know that there'll be several soup kitchens that could make use of it this winter.

And that brings to my mind the rather embittered veteran with whom I talked the other night as he waited in a Chicago station for the train that was to carry him home from the Legion convention in Detroit. This delegate had voted for the "beer" resolution but he wasn't so enthusiastic. He told me of head-on collisions between prohibition officers on the first day of the convention which centered the attention of the veterans on the liquor resolution. Then, he continued, he listened to Herbert Hoover plead against the ban on beer. My veteran friend didn't like that feature of the convention but he was elated over the fact that Mr. Hoover uttered no word of remonstrance when the hall roared with "We want beer!" That he did not is perhaps somewhat disconcerting to dry Democrats to whom Hoover is a little bit indebted.

Under the leadership of Mrs. Alvah P. Smith, the Bay St. Louis Teachers' Association will make a concerted effort for a greater membership, says the Echo. That there will be spontaneous response to their appeal is to be expected when the many accomplishments of the organization are remembered. The parent teacher body works unselfishly for the betterment of the conditions under which the young of the community are developing. No greater legacy can be left the coming generation than that of refined minds and healthy bodies. Make possible the realization of the complete program of the P-T. A. and that legacy is assured.

Industry is moving southward. Once more are we reminded of this fact by an announcement in last week's paper of the consideration of a large silk hose factory is giving Bay St. Louis as a site for one of its plants. There is every reason to believe that such plants will eventually select the Bay city. It has climate, location, and surplus of intelligent labor that would make such a factory a success right from the start.

Hancock County Insurance Agency

FIRE
TORNADO
AUTOMOBILE
LIFE

INSURANCE

IN ALL ITS BRANCHES

Let Us Take Care of Your Needs

A. A. Scaife, S. L. Engman, Agents.

Phone 108, Hancock County Bank

A Prince of Human

Kindness—A Newsboy.

By JOHN T. MEYERS
(For The Sea Coast Echo)

A hurrying noon-day crowd surges past the busy downtown street corner in endless throngs. Street car and auto drivers rent the air with frantic warning to careless pedestrians. A wilted policeman stands in the middle of the sizzling street directing traffic. Even the nerves of this guardian of the law seemed to have been affected by the heat and deafening roar of traffic. The slightest violation of a regulation draws a belligerent blast from his whistle, accompanied by a "bawling out" to the offender.

Adding to the ear-splitting din, a newsboy paces up and down screaming the headlines of the latest edition. Rudely he holds his paper before the passerby, almost blocking passage as he yells in the coarse jargon of the street urchin.

After a bit a truck draws up to the curb and a bundle of newspapers is thrown on the sidewalk. The noisy newsboy drags the bundle to the edge of a building. Here, an old, shabbily-dressed, blind man stands patiently waiting. A faithful shepherd dog watches the boy's approach with seemingly human understanding.

Alike the boy, the old man earns his living selling papers. Closer observation, however, reveals the fact that they are rivals . . . selling competitive newspapers.

To the best of his ability the youngest quickly reads the headlines of the old man's paper, so his rival can call the attention of the prospective buyer to the latest news developments, as presented by his publication. The young newsdealer pats the head of the dog, walks away, and takes up his selling where he left off, to do a kind act for a fellow man, in tighter stress than himself.

Soon the cracked and weary voice of the aged, blind, newsboy is urging passersby to purchase his paper.

And now, somehow, it seems, the throbbing downtown street corner has lost its harsh, irritating, tones. Once again people seem human. The scowl has vanished from the face of the big policeman. He waves good naturedly to a passing auto driver. . . . And the voice of that yelling newsboy is no longer nerve racking. . . . His garments no longer seem dirty and patched. . . . In fact, he now resembles a gallant young Prince. A prince of human kindness—forgetting self to be of service to an old, blind man less favored than he.

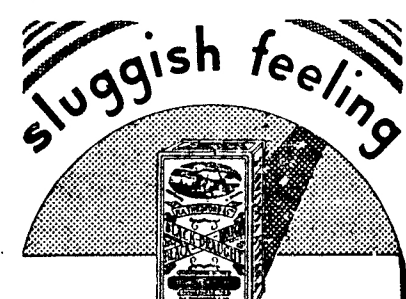
Typewriter Ribbons

At The Echo Office

75c.

The BEST Gray Hair Remedy is Home Made

To half pint of water add one ounce bay rum, small box of Barbo Compound and one-fourth ounce of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Apply to the hair twice a week until desired shade is obtained. It will gradually darken streaked, faded or gray hair and make it soft and glossy. Barbo will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy and does not rub off.



NEXT time you are out of fix as the result of irregular or faulty bowel movement, try Thedford's Black-Draught for the refreshing relief it gives thousands of people who take it. Mr. E. W. Cecil, a construction superintendent in Pulaski, Va., says: "When I get constipated, my head aches, and I have that dull, tired feeling—just not equal to my work. I don't feel hungry and I know that I need something to cleanse my system, so I take Black-Draught. We have found it a great help."

Sold in 25-cent packages.
Thedford's
BLACK-DRAUGHT
WOMEN who are run-down, or suffer from every month, should take Carbol. Used for over 50 years. 5072



He is not frugal but wise

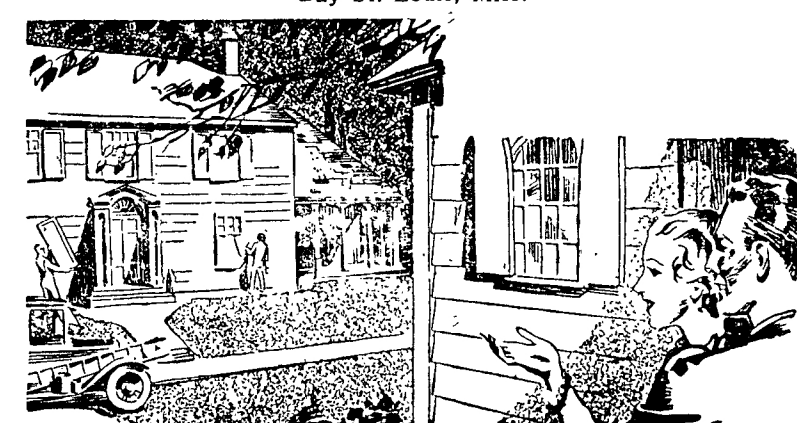
THE squirrel eats his fill of nuts during the summer and then he saves the the rest for winter. He believes in living well and wisely. He is not frugal, nor extravagant. In a word he is wise. You can learn a lesson from the squirrel. Spend enough for your needs and save enough for your future. Use the Merchants Bank and Trust Company for your savings where they will be safe.

Merchants Bank & Trust Co.

AN INSTITUTION THAT IS A CONSTRUCTIVE FORCE IN THE COMMUNITY.

Peoples Bldg. & Loan Ass'n.

MASONIC TEMPLE
Bay St. Louis, Miss.



An easy and effective way to save and have. Installment shares payable monthly on which the Association pays a dividend twice a year. A good way to start to build or buy a home. Save by monthly installment and later we lend the balance of money necessary.

Installment stock 60c per month.
PAID UP STOCK \$100 PER SHARE
Ask About This Plan

J. A. BREATH, Secretary.
CHAS. G. MOREAU, Pres't. F. H. ENLOFF, V. Pres't. GEO. R. REA, Treas.

Unusual Opportunity

BEAUTIFUL 1928 five-passenger BUICK, in perfect condition, will sell for cash at remarkably low price.

Original price \$1980. The only thing cheap about this car is the price now asked. It will astound you. Owner going away.

LEO FORD

WASHINGTON STREET,
Bay St. Louis, Miss.

EASY PLEASANT WAY WAY TO LOSE FAT

How would you like to lose 15 pounds of fat in a month and at the same time increase your energy and improve your health? How would you like to lose your double chin and your too prominent abdomen and at the same time make your skin so clean and clear that it will compel admiration?

Get on the scales to-day and see how much you weigh—then get an 85 cent bottle of Kruschen Salts which will last you for 4 weeks. Take one half teaspoonful in a glass of hot water every morning and when you have finished the contents of this first bottle weigh yourself again. After that you'll want to walk around and say to your friends—

MOSQUITOES AND MALARIA

When troubled with mosquitoes, look out for Malaria, for Malaria germs are transmitted by mosquitoes. Prevent Malaria by taking CHILLIFUGE now. The action of CHILLIFUGE is positive and salutary.

To relieve the sting of mosquito bite, use MUL-EN-OL. Act now. Ask your druggist for both CHILLIFUGE and MUL-EN-OL.

"One 85 cent bottle of Kruschen Salts is worth one hundred dollars of any fat person's money." Leading druggists America over sell Kruschen Salts.

REGULAR MONTHLY MEET
CO. BOARD SUPERVISORS

(Continued from last week)

Be it ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn until Tuesday morning, September 8th, A. D. 1931, at 9:00 o'clock A. M.

Tuesday Morning, Sept. 8th, A. D. 1931, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as on yesterday.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn until Wednesday morning, Sept. 9th, A. D. 1931, at 9:00 o'clock A. M.

Wednesday morning, Sept. 9th, A. D. 1931, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as on yesterday.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn until Thursday morning, Sept. 10th, A. D. 1931, at 9:00 o'clock A. M.

Thursday morning, Sept. 10th, A. D. 1931, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as on yesterday.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn until Friday, September 11th, A. D. 1931, at 9:00 o'clock A. M.

Friday morning, September 11th, A. D. 1931, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as on yesterday.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn until Saturday morning, Sept. 12th, A. D. 1931, at 9:00 o'clock A. M.

Saturday morning, Sept. 12th, A. D. 1931, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as on yesterday.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn until Monday morning, Sept. 14th, A. D. 1931, at 9:00 o'clock A. M.

Monday morning, Sept. 14th, A. D. 1931, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as on Saturday.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn until Tuesday morning, Sept. 15th, A. D. 1931, at 9:00 o'clock A. M.

Tuesday morning, September 17, 1931, at 9:00 o'clock A. M. Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as on yesterday.

In the matter of the Additional assessment against the Teche Lines Inc., as made by E. Van Waidfield, Tax Assessor of Hancock County in pursuance of a notice from W. J. Miller State Tax Collector, assessing said corporation for the years 1928, 1929 and 1930 on the value of franchise to operate a motor bus line in the State of Mississippi over U. S. Highway No. 90.

By agreement of W. J. Miller, State Tax Collector, and the Teche Lines Inc., tax payer it is ordered, and adjudged that this cause be continued from term to term until a decision is had in a case now pending against the Teche Lines Inc., in Forrest County, Miss.

The said Teche Lines Inc., is to be given at least ten days notice by the State Tax Collector, and his attorneys after the final termination of the case now pending in Forrest County, Mississippi, as had before said hearing will be taken up before this Board.

This continuance is granted and this order rendered without prejudice to the rights of either party because it is deemed that the public interest be promoted thereby.

Approved, Teche Lines Inc. This September 4th, 1931. J. Morgan Stevens.

W. H. Watkins. The claim of A. R. Hart was presented to the Board of Supervisors for damages caused said Hart by the building of Gex St., and which claim is in the sum of \$250.00. It is therefore ordered that the said claim be and the same is hereby rejected.

The claim of the City of Bay St. Louis for money to retire Sea Wall bonds was presented and considered by the Board, and it appearing that the county has no available funds on hand or in sight to make this allowance, it is therefore ordered that the same be rejected.

Be it ordered by the Board that the position of Office Deputy for the Tax Assessor be and the same is discontinued effective September 30th, 1931.

Be it ordered by the Board that the wages on the public roads of Hancock County, from this day on shall be between the sum of \$1.50 and \$2.00 per day for common labor.

Whereas John Wheat at a prior meeting of the Board had requested permission to sell a set of tires belonging to the County and the Board being of the opinion that it would be to the best interest of the County to sell said tires for the sum of and amount of

Be it there ordered that said Wheat may sell said tires for cash for the sum of \$— and the said money shall be paid to the credit of the General County Fund.

Be it ordered by the Board that the clerk of this Board be and he is hereby directed to issue warrants in the sum of \$15,400.00 payable out of the Loan Warrant fund to the Hancock County Bank to be applied to the payment of Hancock County Loan Warrants.

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Be it ordered by the Board that the budget as prepared by the Board for the year 1931-32 of the expenses of the County estimated by the Board of Supervisors for the year 1931-32 be spread upon the minutes and published as provided by law.

And it appearing to the Board of

ADMINISTRATIVE

Assessor	\$2500.00
Deputy Assessors	250.00
County Bldgs. and Grounds	6000.00
Clerk of Board	1150.00
County Auditor	1200.00
Elections	1071.00
Pension Boards	45.00
Official Bonds	1100.00
Copying Assmt. Rolls	1200.00

JUDICIAL

Courts	3500.00
Clerk of Courts	1800.00
Sheriff	450.00
Justice of Peace	420.00
Constables	300.00
Court Stenographers	855.00

PROTECTION OF PERSON AND PROPERTY

Conveying Prisoners and Lunatics	300.00
Game Wardens	600.00
Tick Eradication	250.00
Convict Guards & Expenses	3000.00

CONSERVATION OF HEALTH

County Health Officer	3250.00
Vital Statistics	150.00

HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE

Road Maintenance	22,500.00
Edgewise	900.00

City of Bay St. Louis (Estimated)	10,000.00
Town of Waveland (Estimated)	2,800.00

CHARITIES & CORRECTIONS.

Poorhouse Maintenance	3,000.00
Poorhouse Buildings	250.00
Prisoners	3,500.00
Kings Daughters	800.00
Childrens Home	100.00

EDUCATION

Superintendent of Education	1,600.00
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ADVERTISING

Advertising	300.00
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INTEREST

Issue January 1st. 1913	3,000.00
Issue March 1st. 1923	15,840.00
Issue May 1st. 1925	6,430.00
Issue July 1st. 1925	7,290.00
Road Protection Bonds	64,611.25

BONDS

Issue March 1st. 1923	16,000.00
Issue May 1st. 1925	8,000.00
Issue July 1st. 1925	9,000.00
Road Protection Bonds	6,000.00
Road Protection Bonds	25,000.00

CURRENT LOANS

Loan Warrants	45,000.00
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Be it ordered by the Board that the following statement showing aggregate revenues collected and disbursed in the County during the current year for county purposes be published which statement is as follows:

BOND FUND

Receipts	\$34,955.08
Disbursements	3,000.00

GAME & FORESTRY FUND

Receipts	1,062.39
Disbursements	900.00

GENERAL COUNTY FUND

Receipts	67,694.76
Disbursements	56,522.41

LOAN WARRANT FUND

Receipts	15,428.34
Disbursements	15,400.00

GENERAL COUNTY LOAN WARRANT.

Receipts	421.20
Disbursements	400.00

ROAD & BRIDGE WARRANT

Receipts	367.35
Disbursements	200.00

PENSIONS FUND

Receipts	1,476.65
Disbursements	1,338.90

ROAD & BRIDGE FUND

Receipts	91,874.30
Disbursements	91,666.50

ROAD & BRIDGE BOND FUND

Receipts	80,295.97
Disbursements	65,301.92

ROAD PROTECTION FUND

Receipts	210.79
Disbursements	121.57

ROAD PROTECTION BOND FUND

Receipts	135,942.48
Disbursements	97,108.33

SCHOOL LOAN WARRANT

Receipts	5,794.86
Disbursements	3,750.00

SEA WALL FUND

Receipts	155.04
Disbursements	58.75

SELLERS SCHOOL BOND FUND

Receipts	1547.99
Disbursements	1240.00

CATAHOULA SCHOOL BOND FUND

Receipts	275.89
Disbursements	254.00

CATAHOULA CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL FUND

Receipts	768.69
Disbursements	398.68

DEDEAUX CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL FUND

Receipts	1,708.40
Disbursements	995.70

GULFVIEW CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL FUND

Receipts	7,246.45
Disbursements	7,784.65

KILN CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL FUND

Receipts	12,483.88
Disbursements	12,504.31

MULATTO BAYOU SCHOOL FUND

Receipts	615.30
Disbursements	565.60

SCHOOL FUND

Receipts	87,300.37
Disbursements	56,611.76

SELLERS CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL FUND

Receipts	3,632.22
Disbursements	3,217.41

This day came on for hearing and consideration by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Miss., petition of Coast Company, Incorporated for annulment in the assessment of real property, assessed to the said Petitioner as the owner thereof, at the page and line on the said roll as shown in said petition, the said annulment being asked on the ground that the assessments in lines 20 and 31 on page 37 of the assessment roll of wild land for the years 1930 and 1931 cover the same land, the same being a double assessment of the assessment of the said land twice to the same person.

And it appearing to the Board of

Supervisors from the evidence, both oral and documentary, offered in support of said application that the circumstances alleged in said petition as grounds for relief are true, and that said land has been doubly assessed as stated in said petition.

And the Board being fully satisfied that petitioner is entitled to have one of said assessments annulled, as herein provided, and that the Board should so order:

It is therefore ordered by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, that the assessment contained in line 30, page 37 of said roll be, and the same is hereby annulled and vacated.

It further appearing to the Board that the taxes for the year 1929 and 1930 on said land were paid by the petitioner in a redemption made by said petitioner on the 3rd day of March, 1931 from a tax sale on 929, and that said land was again sold on the 7th day of April, 1930 for the taxes of 1929 under an erroneous description, and that out of the proceeds of said sale the taxes for 1929 were again paid.

It is therefore, further ordered that the clerk be, and he is hereby authorized to eliminate the county taxes of 1930 from the amount necessary to redeem from the tax sale of 1930 and that the petitioner be permitted to redeem from said sale by paying the officer's fees, cost of advertising, State tax and the purchaser's commissions on the amount of his bid as provided by law, and that a warrant be issued to petitioner for the sum of \$—, as a refund for all county taxes for the year 1929 collected from the erroneous sale of 1930, which sum is hereby allowed by the Board.

It is further ordered that the Clerk of this Board certify two copies of this order to the State Tax Commission for its approval or disapproval; and, if the foregoing order be approved by the State Tax Commission, the clerk of this Board is hereby authorized and directed to change the original assessment roll in his office and the Sheriff and Tax Collector of this County is hereby authorized to change the copy in his possession, to conform with the provisions of this order. And the Sheriff and Tax Collector shall be properly

credited with the reduction herein made.

Be it ordered by the Board that the Board adjourn until Friday morning, September 18th, A. D. 1931 at 9:00 A. M.

Friday morning, Sept. 18th, A. D. 1931, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., Board met pursuant to adjournment, present as on yesterday.

Whereas the storm and flood occurred during the month of July, damaging several bridges and roads in the county, and

Whereas it was necessary to pay the labor for the rebuilding of said bridges and the County being out of funds and unable to provide for same, and

Whereas the sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars will be necessary to be borrowed in order to pay for the rebuilding of said bridges and the repairing of said road.

Be it therefore ordered that pursuant to Chapter 106 of the Code of 1930, that the Board doth borrow from the Hancock County Bank the sum and amount of \$5,000.00 with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum and that the County do issue its Loan Bank payable on February 15th, 1930.

It is further ordered, that Emilio Cue, President of this Board, be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to sign any and all loan papers for that purpose and to sign said Loan Warrant as the act and deed of Hancock County.

The Board of Supervisors of said County (after having given notice to the tax payers of said County, by publishing the following:

To the Tax Payers of Hancock County, State of Mississippi.

You will please take notice that the assessment of personal property on the rolls for 1931 have been changed and corrected by this Board so as to comply with the laws of this State, and that said revised rolls are now open for examination and that any objection to any assessments contained in said revised rolls must be made in writing and filed with the clerk of this Board on or before the first Monday of September 1931, at his office in the City of Bay St. Louis in said County and that any or all assessments to which no objection is then and there made, will be made final.

This the 10th day of August 1931. The Board of Supervisors of said County.

By A. G. Favre, Clerk of said Board. In the Sea Coast Echo, a newspaper edited and published at Bay St. Louis, Miss., which notice was published and circulated by said newspaper on the 14th day of August 1931, in said County and was on the 10th day of August 1931, posted in the Court house in the City of Bay St. Louis in said County by said Clerk.

Met in the Hancock County Court house on the 7th day of September 1931, being the first Monday of September 1931, and continued in session from day to day hearing objections to assessments, taking testimony of witnesses and examining books, records and papers with reference to the assessments of property. It made such changes in the assessments (as fixed by it on the rolls, at its July and August 1931 meeting). That it was satisfied should be made to fix assessments of property at its actual value so as to establish an equality and uniformity of taxation according to value among the taxpayers of said County. Now being satisfied that said assessments rolls contain assessments fair, equal, uniform and just according to the value of the personal property therein described, it is therefore hereby ordered that the said rolls and the assessments therein now contained be and they are hereby accepted, approved and made final and that the final recapitulations of said assessments be certified to the State Tax Commission on the blank furnished by it and as required by law.

Be it ordered that the 1931-1932 hunting season in Hancock County shall begin on the 6th, 1931, but nothing in this order shall mean that game shall be killed, caught or trapped sooner than provided by law.

A copy of this order shall be published at once for a period of one week in the Sea Coast Echo, a newspaper with a general circulation in Hancock County.

Be it further ordered that the hunting license in Hancock County for the hunting season of 1931 and 1932 shall be \$1.00 payable to the Sheriff of Hancock County and that a copy of this order be published for a period of one week in the Sea Coast Echo, a newspaper with a general circulation in Hancock County.

Be it ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed

and paid out of the General County Fund as per bills on file, examined and approved, to-wit:

Southern Bell Tel. Co., Rentals and tolls 83.31

J. C. Jones, Attendance 30.00

A. G. Favre, Attending Chancery Court 50.00

McArthur, Manager 3.00

A. G. Favre, Attendance 55.00

J. C. Jones, Attendance 33.50

Frank J. Moran, Manager 3.00

Chas. B. Murphy, Attendance 84.00

A. G. Favre, Attendance 84.00

John B. Wheat, Attendance 84.00

and Inspection 84.00

F. Z. Goss, Attendance 84.00

and Inspection 84.00

J. P. Moran, Attendance 84.00

and Inspection 84.00

Emilio Cue, Attendance 84.00

and Inspection 84.00

SCREEN'S NEW FIND
IS MODEST YOUTH
IN "BAD GIRL"

James Dunn Makes Film Debut in Fox Drama, Opposite Sally Eilers.

James Dunn, who will be seen as Sally Eilers' perplexed young husband in "Bad Girl," Fox drama coming to the A. & G. Theatre Sunday and Monday, is the newest recruit to Hollywood's eligible list of young bachelors.

He is charming, gallant, and extremely affable, as his characterization in the picture so clearly proves, all of which made him instantly popular in the film capital.

"I've always thought I'd play around a bit before I settle down for good," Dunn recently remarked. "But if invitations keep pouring in as fast as they have this first six weeks I've been in Hollywood, I'm likely to change my mind."

These girls out here are so darned attractive," he concluded.

Frank Borzage, veteran Fox director of more than fifty screen successes, including the immortal "7th Heaven," directed the picture. Edwin Burke prepared the script in continuity and dialog from the original Vina Delmar novel.

"Edna Driggs," in the role of the actress, is the picture's supporting cast which also includes William Powell, of the stage play fame, and Frank Darien.

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Whereas the sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars will be necessary to be borrowed in order to pay for the rebuilding of said bridges and the repairing of said road.

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It is further ordered, that Emilio Cue, President of this Board, be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to sign any and all loan papers for that purpose and to sign said Loan Warrant as the act and deed of Hancock County.

The Board of Supervisors of said County (after having given notice to the tax payers of said County, by publishing the following:

To the Tax Payers of Hancock County, State of Mississippi.

You will please take notice that the assessment of personal property on the rolls for 1931 have been changed and corrected by this Board so as to comply with the laws of this State, and that said revised rolls are now open for examination and that any objection to any assessments contained in said revised rolls must be made in writing and filed with the clerk of this Board on or before the first Monday of September 1931, at his office in the City of Bay St. Louis in said County and that any or all assessments to which no objection is then and there made, will be made final.

This the 10th day of August 1931. The Board of Supervisors of said County.

By A. G. Favre, Clerk of said Board. In the Sea Coast Echo, a newspaper edited and published at Bay St. Louis, Miss., which notice was published and circulated by said newspaper on the 14th day of August 1

Personal and General Notes of Week From Waveland and Vicinity

V. E. WEBER Box 134
Waveland, Miss.

The Parent-Teachers' Association has engaged Prof. Thos. W. Mueller to give his excellent modern puppet show, at the Waveland School Friday October 9th 8 P. M. Punch and Judy, talking and dancing dolls. This is the first time a show of this kind has been in our section and we request everyone to attend.

The Waveland school pupils will have a regular one half hour recreation P. M. The pupils will recite and have musical exercises. This will be a great help to the children and parents should encourage them in every way.

WAVELAND SCHOOL HALF HOUR RECREATION PROGRAM.

On Friday Sept. 25th, at 2:30 the Senior girls of Waveland school, planned and carried out a real nice program as follows:

Accompanist—Vivian Tucker
Pajama Dance
Accompanist—Catherine Chadwick
How a Child Should Behave
Dolores Bourgeois
Story Told to the Children of the Beautiful Princess, Dorothy Fayard
A Spanish Dance
Accompanist—Catherine Chadwick

The Girls Club had their first meeting of the season after school hours and the following officers were elected:
Isabelle Tucker, President, Nola Rita Moore, Secretary, Mary Clair Zimmerman, Treasurer.
Girls are planning to give a play in the near future, proceeds to go for club work.

Thos. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Bourgeois was over for the week end, attending Alice Fortier School.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Berner and sons, Freddie and Joseph were over for the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Bourgeois.

Miss Frances Breasau spent the week end on the Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Alcide Bourgeois and daughters, Maude and Marcel, spent the week end at Ansley, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brown, Mrs. W. J. Lee and daughter, Helen of Jackson, La., will motor through Florida and will return to Waveland later part of next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Martinez and family, Mr. and Mrs. Magnier and family were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Wilcox.

BAY COAST STARS DEFEAT BINGHAM BEARS, SCORE 9-7

The Bay Coast Stars defeated the Bingham Bears Sunday by a score of 9-7. P. J. Collier on the mound for the Stars kept the Bears 5 hits well scattered, while the Stars romped on Jim Collier, brother of P. J., for 18 hits.

Joe Favre pinch hitting for E. Blaize hit safely and batted in a run in the sixth inning. S. Noto and W. Bontemps were the batting stars for the Coast Stars, with four for each. P. J. Collier fanned 12 men and Jim Collier fanned 5.

The line-up for the Coast Stars: W. Bontemps, 1st; J. Bontemps, 3rd; base, O. McCarty, cf; S. Noto, rf; E. Blaize, ss; G. Boudin, 2nd base; P. Noto, 1st base; Bob Fay, Manager and C. P. J. Collier, pitcher.

A winter league under the name of the Bay Waveland Coast league will get under way Sunday. Bingham vs. Waveland at Waveland.

Ramblers vs. Coast Stars, at Sick's Diamond.

The same lineup will play for the Coast Stars.

A. & G. Theater

Thursday, October 1st.
GEORGE CAYNEY & JEAN HARLOW in
"THE PUBLIC ENEMY"
And comedy.

Friday, Oct. 2nd—Double Bill.
"THE PUBLIC ENEMY"
And
KEN MAYNARD in
"FIGHTING THRU"
And comedy.

Saturday, Oct. 3.
LLOYD HUGHES & LOLA LANCE in
"HELLBOUND"
And comedy.

Sunday & Monday, Oct. 4-5.
SALLY EILERS & JAMES DUNN in
"BAD GIRL"
Fox News & Cartoon.

Tuesday & Wednesday, Oct. 6-7.
JANET GAYRELL & CHARLES FAYRELL in
"MERRY MARY ANN"
And comedy.

Thursday, Oct. 8.
RICHARD DIX in
"THE PUBLIC DEFENDER"
And comedy.

Program subject to change without notice.

SPORTS AT STANISLAUS

Rock-A-Chaws Defeat Kiln
Aggregation 53-0—1931
Team Going Strong.

Last Saturday the Rock-A-Chaws overwhelmed the representatives from Kiln by the staggering total of 53-0. The Knights of the black and red certainly showed even better than last year's predecessors. Congratulations fellows, and let's have many more such glorious victories.

Every man in uniform played Saturday, and all made great showings. The brilliant gains by L. Nam, Baquet, Ducasa R. Roth and Artiques and the wonderful work on the line of Andade and Hobbs were outstanding. In the line up were: Maurigi, L. Nam, A. Kidd, Baquet, Artiques, Verlander, Hobbs, Weatherford, Reine Amade, Toarmina, Daigle, Richarme, Ducasa, D. Roth, R. Roth, Cascio, Judlin, R. Smythe, Mattherne, J. Gonzales, R. Ganzaes, and C. Plink. We were heartbroken upon finding that our distinguished tackle "Ambition" Lock, was sick and unable therefore to be with us.

—BEAT EASTON—
Sunday the 3rd team showed well against St. Paul, from Pass Christian, winning by a 13-0 score. Among the brilliant players were: Cecil Lapeyronnie, C. Gerchow, P. Monti, D. Alamo, R. Kidd, Billy Schwartz, F. Suzenau, "Sampson" Jesse, Benny Del Carrio, B. Sandoz, P. Curro, "Kingfish" Kahalley, Bourguies, and others. Curro and Kahalley starred.

SODALITY NEWS.

The third meeting of the Sodality was held last Thursday. The most important subject discussed during the meeting was the appointment of the different committees, each of which is to be composed of four girls. Those who have been named for the Publicity Committee are: Vincennes Pavalora, Melodia Nix, Frances Scalfide, Theresa Lianam.

On the Mission Committee are: Elis, L. Zana, Alice Camors, Yvette Ichard, E. Van LeBlanc.

The Eucharistic Committee will consist of Louise Carver, Catherine Seafide, Catherine Benvenuti, Delta Lizana.

Those who constitute Our Lady's Committee are: Alice Peeny, Joyce Wolf, Frances Vincent, and Bernice Johnson.

The girls are all in earnest and they hope to accomplish much work for the Sodality during the coming year. It was also decided at this meeting that the Children of Mary would have a Mass said for the speedy recovery of Carrie Koennn, one of their classmates, whose severe illness has kept her confined to her bed for the past month. The mass will be said Friday. The Children of Mary will attend this Mass in a body, and unite their prayers to the strong hope which each girl entertains that Carrie will soon be back again at S. J. A.

TESTS AND AGAIN TESTS.

The last week was a busy one for the Seniors. It was "Test Week," and if you can pass English and History with a good note, you may congratulate yourself, because the teacher of these two subjects has the knack of combining all the matter we have covered in a month, into five or six questions.

However, in the chemistry and Math tests no Senior got a lower grade than 80 per cent, so that we are all feeling rather proud of ourselves. We are glad though that our tests are over and are now anxiously awaiting the result of the month's work, which in all probability we will learn in Thursday, when reports are expected to be given out.

We may consider our first month finished and are delighted to think that we have passed this first milestone of our school year at S. J. A. so successfully.

"Heavens!" Eight mile-stones more to pass," you say. Yes that's true, but taking them singly as we did September, the task will not be so arduous, and soon probably much, much sooner than we expect we will have reached the end.

NOTES FROM THE THIRD AND FOURTH GRADES.

The leaders of the Third and Fourth grades are spelling are Joyce Becker, Lucille Ryan and Dot Roy. These three little girls are to be congratulated for the splendid marks they received in this subject during the past month. However, they had better keep up their good work, or rather work much harder during the coming weeks, as the rest of the class does not intend to be left behind.

Special mention is also due to Sarah Russo, Corine Strong, Joyce Becker, Dot Roy, Elsie May Capdepion and Marie Violette Arceneaux for their great improvement in the Palmer Method of writing.

Watch for the lucky girl of these classes whose story will be published next week.

HERE AND THERE.

Summer has gone at last and the cooler weather, really seems more natural and comfortable for "school days."

Wonder why it is that its so much harder to stay in school on a warm, warm sun-shiny day, than on an equally pretty cold day?

The end of the month already! Which of course spells monthly tests. The good ole' S. J. A. bugaboo—Any girl who likes them, please step to the right. Oh! well, I guess school wasn't invented entirely for "pleasure and amusement of the pupils, or at least, so I've been told."

Basketball will be starting soon, S. J. A. should have a good team this year, though two or three of our veterans are missing (Woe and a lack-a-day-to-us). There are quite a few new girls, however, among both boarders and day scholars, who will probably prove themselves worthy to fill the shoes of some of our stars of a year or two back. Oh! well all we can do is wait and see and live in high hopes.

INTRODUCING THE SENIORS.

We are twelve merry Seniors. We're as crazy as can be. How we landed in the Senior Class will remain a mystery.

COMMENT ON SPORTS BY SHERIDAN

TUNNEY TO FIGHT?
HEAVYWEIGHT RANKING
SHARKEY'S DELAY
THE SERIES ARGUMENT
UP TO PITCHERS
A BREAK FOR MACK

News from Maine is that Gen. Tunney, undefeated champion, is following the track of Jack Dempsey. He is reported at his Maine camp trying to determine just how fit he is for another ring campaign. The former champion is said to be gripped by the present heavyweight situation with Sharkey and Walker classed as the main contenders. Contrary to the popular impression, the fight game had a great hold on Tunney. Some of his friends even assert that the reason he gave up the championship was because of his disgust with the many crooks in the game, which most observers admit has more underhanded maneuvering in it than almost any sport.

In fact, the promoters of the Free Milk Fund in New York have already suggested two matches for Tunney, the first with Dempsey next summer and if Tunney wins, a bout with Schmeling in the fall. Tunney is said to have admitted that he would "like to win the championship back for America" and that he "could use all that money" but stated that as far as his mind was concerned, at this time he was through fighting.

Anyhow, it is apparent that Tunney is taking more interest in the game than he has for a year after retiring. He attended no fights, but of late he has seen them all and, at one is reported to have shouted wildly for Walker to beat Sharkey.

Ranking heavyweights, as fixed by the National Boxing Association, included Sharkey in the first position, following the champion, Max Schmeling, with Tommy Loughran in third place. Then came Scharf, Mickey Walker, Shitling, Ganes, Retzlaff, Tuffy Griffith and Hein Muller, of Germany, a number as named. Carnera, ponderous Italian, is dropped from fifth position last year to thirteenth this year. Even so, you can get some arguments about the rankings given.

Jack Sharkey, rated as number one, has been injured, and is now left hand and asks that his fight with Carnera be cancelled. An offer to delay the battle for almost two weeks was met by Sharkey's refusal to promise to enter the ring at all. Back of this amazing development, according to boxing observers, is a rumor that Carnera's backers, reported to include some "public enemies," wanted the bout "fixed" and that Sharkey, unwilling to be a party to "throwing" the fight, was of the opinion that it would be "unhealthy" to cross the Carnera backers.

The world series argument hangs in the balance this year with considerable interest attached to the competitive performance of Grove and Earnshaw on one side and Messrs. Derringer, Halahan and Grimes on the other. However, both of the Athletic hurlers boast a better record than the Cardinal stars and that of Grove is incomparable.

Under such circumstances, it is interesting to observe that the Series will start in St. Louis on Thursday, for two games. Saturday will be spent in travel and as no Sunday game is permissible in Philadelphia the rivals will clash again on the following Monday. A little mental figuring will show you that Messrs. Grove and Earnshaw can easily pitch six of the seven games with three days of rest between each effort. If this is not a break for Connie Mack, we can't imagine a worse pitching problem than merely leaving it to Grove and Earnshaw.

The story goes that Sam Breadon has a chance to open the World Series in his home town on Tuesday but that he was tangled up in a ticket-selling scheme devised to give regular patrons first whack at the games and in the time for his clerks to make their check-up. So, he got a Thursday opening date, which was fine for the fans, perhaps, but just a little bit better for the American League entry.

Generally speaking, the Cardinals and the Athletics are much better matched this year than last, and the series should prove closer. However, so much depends on the pitchers, or the batters, as one looks at it, that it is almost a toss up as to the winner, although the Mackmen are the favorites, expected by most to justify the betting odds in their favor.

With his ninth pennant won Connie Mack is now engaged in the effort to win his third straight world series, something that hasn't been done before. His team is in better shape than it was a month ago, with most of the regulars ready to play. The Card hurlers, he it said, performed wonderfully for more than a month, but watchers of late have imagined a let-up. This, however, will probably do them good.

There are friends you know who don't. There are friends who offer much advice. But the best is the one who won't. She'll give you a smile, when smiles are scarce. She'll give you a pat on the back. She'll help you in worries and understand. For she's all that the others lack.

Be good to this friend who's good to you. You loves you and understands. Be willing and faithful and loyal and true. For you've found a friend who is grand.

DIST. FORESTER KIMBALL SHOWS OPPORTUNITIES OF MISS. CUTOVER LANDS

Possibility of Erecting in South Mississippi an Industrial
Empire on the Basis of the Raw Material Produced
By Cutover Lands.

By K. E. Kimball

Now that the political open season is closed we can turn our minds to the consideration of other matters of equal, if not greater, importance to the welfare of Harrison County.

We have our economic problems with us always and none of these problems are pressing for solution with greater urgency than that concerned with the use of our great areas of cutover land. Harrison County is 96 per cent (351,076 acres out of 365,000) this kind of land, and only 4 per cent crop land. A few thousand acres are taken up by roads, streams, swamps and cities and town sites.

It is probably safe to say that more than 300,000 acres of the county must grow timber if it produces anything of value. This statement is made with a full consideration of the possible expansion of land use through agricultural, dairying and stock raising developments. The permanent committee of the Mississippi Land Use Conference reports, with reference to the 19 1/2 million acres of forest land in the state: "The possibility of utilizing profitably an appreciable part of these lands for crop production is remote."

Yields no Revenue

Generally speaking, cut-over returns no present revenue to its owners. The owner is, however, required to pay annual tax on it if he wishes to retain title. An investment which requires a constant expenditure for overhead and promises no revenue is a mighty poor investment and one a good business man will get rid of. With certain minor exceptions, the above is the status of our cut-over land. Not only does it not repay the owner the interest on his investment and the annual taxes, but it is beginning to refuse the payment of taxes to the county. Stone and Jackson counties are especially hard hit in this respect, there being in each of these counties 50,000 acres or more of tax delinquent land that promises to remain permanently in that status. It goes without saying that the tax burden thereby carried by this land has been, or will be, apportioned among the other tax payers of the county.

Needs Protection.

There is much argument pro and con as to what should be done with this land. Space does not permit a detailed consideration of all the facts bearing on the subject. However, the foremost leaders of the state have agreed that if our cut-over land is to remain in private ownership, pay its quota of taxes, serve as a basis of an expanding stock raising industry and provide the raw material for industrial development, it must be protected from fire. Protection from fire will permit the establishment of a timber industry and years of protection in the Pascagoula Protection Area has proven to most cattle and sheep men that a rough range is a better pasture for cattle than one annually burned.

We must forget the old ways of preparing timber for market. We must get over the idea that a big tree is the only useful tree. We are entering an era dedicated to the use of small timber and to the use of chemical formulas for reducing wood fibre to commercially useful forms and substances. The saw mill and the planing mill will stand in the background of forest-based industries.

Many Possibilities

Wall board mills, turning out a variety widely used product; paper mills, making white newsprint and bond paper as well as kraft; plants making use of wood cellulose, the commercial possibilities of which have been well established. Wood preserving plants, for some of whose products no successful substitute has been found; chemical plants, reducing the crude gum of our pines to their several chemical elements; small dimension wood using industries turning out boxes, crates, handles, auto-body parts and a varied assortment of other objects for which small timber can be used; all these will use young second growth timber from fifteen to thirty years of age. In these uses of small timber there lies the pregnant possibility of erecting in South Mississippi an industrial empire on the basis of the raw material produced by our cut-over lands.

The realization of this possibility will mean the regeneration of this region. It means an influx of much capital. It means permanent industries. It means a great increase in the total county valuation, a great increase in county revenue and a great relief to the now burdened tax payers. It means an expanding home market for the farmers, an increase in property values and a stimulating influence on the life of our people.

Akron Completes Nine- Hour Trial Flight

Akron, Ohio, Sept. 28.—The U. S. S. Akron tied up at its dock at 7:52 p. m. tonight after a nine-hour cruise, the longest test flight since it was turned over to the navy a week ago. The flight was made without incident. On conclusion of today's tests Rear Admiral George C. Day of the naval board of inspection and survey said the "flight was very successful." It was announced that there will be at least three more flights. The next will be to determine the "dynamic lift" of the ship. During the day the Zeppelin was sailed in circles and semicircles about five times between two theodolites to measure its turning radius. It is expected the next flight of the Akron will start some time Wednesday. There will also be a test for speed and a 48-hour flight.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEES SALE.

Whereas, on the 23rd day of May, 1931, Olus Ladner executed a Deed of Trust to W. J. Gex, Jr., trustee, to secure an indebtedness therein mentioned and described by Sylvanus Moran, which Deed of Trust is recorded in Vol. 26, pages 493-4 of the Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on land in Hancock County, Mississippi, and

Whereas, the said indebtedness so secured by said Deed of Trust is long past due and unpaid, and

Whereas, the said Sylvanus Moran, the legal holder of said indebtedness, having requested me, the undersigned Trustee to foreclose said Deed of Trust, as follows, to-wit:

Now therefore, I will, on MONDAY, OCTOBER 5TH, 1931, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 4 P. M., offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the County Court House Door of Hancock County, Miss., the land situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, and described in said Deed of Trust as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the NW corner of the NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 25, T. 8, S. R. 15 West, thence running South 6 chains to a post thence South 68 degrees East to the east boundary of the aforesaid tract of land; thence North on East boundary of the North-east Quarter of Southwest Quarter, Sec. 25, T. 8, S. R. 15 West, 14 chains; thence West 20 chains to the place of beginning. Containing 20 acres, more or less. Being the same land acquired by Olus Ladner from the Estate of Raymond Ladner, under the provisions of the Will of the said Raymond Ladner, said Will being recorded in Record of Wills Book "C," pages 164-165, of the Records of Hancock County, Miss.

I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Trustee which I believe to be true.

Advised, posted and dated this the 10th day of September, 1931.

W. J. GEX, JR., Trustee.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE.

I, Leo W. Seal, Trustee, under the provisions of and by virtue of the authority conferred upon me in a deed of trust made by H. T. Fayard and Louie E. Faya, d. to Leo W. Seal, as Trustee, on the 11th day of June, 1930, to secure a certain indebtedness to Zenon Stiglett, and which said deed of trust is recorded in Book 26, page 11 of the Records of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust on land in Hancock County, Mississippi, I will on the

19TH DAY OF OCTOBER, A. D., 1931,

Being the Third Monday in said month, offer for sale, and will sell at public auction for cash, to the highest and best bidder, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Bay St. Louis, during 12 o'clock hours, the following described property situated in the City of Bay St. Louis, County of Hancock, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Lot 228, Second Ward, in the City of Bay St. Louis, as per the Deed Map, and being that lot known as my home on the corner of Union and Second Streets, in the City of Bay St. Louis. This the 15th day of September, A. D. 1931.

LEO W. SEAL, Trustee.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Ida Hamilton, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 15th day of September, 1931, and therefore, notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same presented and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, and failure to so do so, will bar and preclude them from presenting and registering same in six months from this date. This the 10th day of September, 1931.

J. T. WOLFE, Executor of the Estate of Ida Hamilton, deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Letters of Administration on the Estate of Sarah Kimball, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 12th day of November, 1929, and therefore, notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same presented and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, and failure to so do so, will bar and preclude them from presenting and registering same in six months from this date. This the 10th day of September, 1931.

THE MERCHANTS BANK & TRUST COMPANY, Administrator of the Estate of Sarah Kimball, deceased.

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STORY OF MIKE CONNER AND WIFE COLORFUL AND FILLED WITH ROMANCE

Wife Happy, Not for Self, But for Mike, She Says—Sweethearts Since "Teen" Age—Lives Are Exemplary and Might Be Inspiration To Others.

By Mrs. Andrew Mac Jones

"I'm so happy, happy, happy," were the words of pretty vivacious and cordial Alma Graham Conner, Mississippi's First Lady, as she chatted with friends in the Conner suite at the Edwards Hotel in Jackson after the election. "Not for myself, but for Mike," she looked every inch a happy wife.

Questioned, "How do you feel?" "Oh, I don't know, we have had so many defeats I can't express this new feeling of victory. We have our friends to thank for it."

Perfect Romance

A perfect romance is the life story of Governor-elect, Martin Sennett Conner and his wife, Alma Graham Conner. Sweethearts since their "teen" age, attending the same little town school in Seminary, her "daddy" one of the leading merchants, his "daddy" a prominent lumberman and planter; off for college together, she to I. I. & C., now Mississippi State College for Women, he to attend the University of Mississippi, he to finish at Yale, she to graduate at State Teachers College; he to practice law, she to teach several years—then ten years of happy married life.

Both fired with ambition and willing to strive for the highest, they had their efforts rewarded when Mike Conner was given the highest honor within the gift of the people of the state, which will be shared by Mrs. Conner as mistress of the governor's mansion.

Born in Covington.

Alma Penn Graham first saw the light of this world—a world that has ever been good to her, just the same as she has been good to those around her—in Richmond, Covington county, Mississippi, in 1896, the daughter of James Morgan and Hulda Short Graham, prosperous merchant, postmaster and farmer.

Her early education she received at New Hope public schools. At the early age of 10, with her parents, she moved to Seminary, where her father continued his mercantile business. He died in 1910. On finishing high school there, she studied one year at I. I. & C., and following her graduation from State Teachers College, Hattiesburg, for several years taught in the high schools of the state.

Alma Graham became the bride of Martin Sennett Conner, a brilliant young lawyer, then speaker of the House of Representatives, December 15, 1922, at her home with the Rev. C. R. Ellis, Methodist minister of Seminary, officiating. After a wedding trip to Florida, they made their home in Jackson. November 24, 1923, will always be a memorable day, for it was then that the little daughter, Lady Rachel, now eight years old, arrived at the home of her maternal grandmother.

Has Big Heart.

From early childhood Mrs. Conner has never let an opportunity pass to help those in need. It is not uncommon to find her sedan parked outside some humble cottage and to find Mrs. Conner inside giving that much needed personal touch to the sick or unfortunate. Nor is it uncommon to find this sedan near a shady favorite sport—fishing.

But fishing and helping the poor do not take all of her time. She may be found in the early morning and late afternoon caring for her chickens and she is an unusually good seamstress and designer, making all of Lady Rachel's clothes. She prefers doing her own housework, although she has excellent help with the cooking in the person of Albert, an old darkey who has been in the home for 25 years.

By preference Mrs. Conner has avoided the limelight during the recent campaign. She has, however, accompanied her husband on many of his public appearances.

PAINS QUIT COMING

"When I was a girl, I suffered periodically with terrible pains in my back and sides. Often I would bend almost double with the intense pain. This would last for hours and I could get no relief."

"I tried almost everything that was recommended to me, but found nothing that would help until I began taking Cardui. My mother thought it would be good for me, so she got a bottle of Cardui and started me taking it. I soon improved. The bad spells quit coming. I was soon in normal health."

—Mrs. Jewel Harris, Winsboro, Texas.

Sold at All Drug Stores.

CARDUI

Helps Women to Health

Like Rheumatism, Back-ache, Constipation, Indigestion, and Biliousness.

CURRENT COMMENT

GETS SHOWER OF STICKS AND STONES.

A British political leader who resigned from his party, gets a shower of sticks and stones from a crowd of radicals, when he attempts to make a speech. It would be interesting to know how many radicals, both in England and in America, were born such and have never changed their politics. In political as well as in moral affairs, it might be well to let those who are without corresponding sin, cast the first stone at the man who has shifted sides.

"American Bar Backs Repeal of Dry Law." In old days, the bar was in front of the thirsty man. Now it is behind him.

ONLY THOSE TALENTED SHOULD CONSIDER MUSIC AS A LIVELIHOOD.

A well-known orchestra conductor thinks that the radio and mechanical plays have raised a sunset horizon for the professional musician, and he advises none but those having talents of the artist to consider music as a means of getting a livelihood. It is his opinion that most of the players of the future will be simply amateurs, performing in the expectation of no remuneration other than entertainment. It is depressing to suppose that the professional musician must go the way of the cobbler and the stage coach driver, but if his passing means the return of music as a home entertainment, his place perhaps will be profitably taken by the parlor fiddler, and the clarinet player cutting loose in the back yard after the chores are done.

GOLD STAR MOTHERS GETTING TOO OLD TO PARTICIPATE.

Washington reports that many of the Gold Star mothers are getting too old to participate in the pilgrimages to the graves of their kin in France. The veterans of the World War are not so sprightly as they were in 1918, either. The passage of time is an enemy against which no army can stand. The problems arising out of the war, however, seem to have perennial youth, and to be as young and active as ever. They bid fair to be able to make aggressive attacks on the peace of mind of the world long after the last volley has been fired above the grave of the last survivor of the great conflict.

EVERYBODY WORKS BUT FATHER, SAYS GANDHI.

Gandhi becomes impatient, and urges action upon the part of members of a party which he is attending. England's relation to India is friendly and paternal, but Gandhi apparently thinks that "Everybody works but father, and he sits round all day. His feet upon the fender, Smoking his pipe of clay."

ALL OVER NOW—WIFE COLLAPSES.

Oliver Paquette, who set out from the Shetland Islands for Copenhagen, in an airplane, did not get there. At least, they found the wreckage of his plane in the North Sea. Now that it is all over, his wife has collapsed under the strain. "But men must work, and women must weep. Though storms be sudden, and waters deep, And the harbor bar be moaning."

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Shakespeare asked: "What's in a name?" Nothing, let us hope, since an authority named Mark Graves says that it will be a long time before the present manufacturing centers of the United States will be dead industrially.

CAMPAIGN MATERIAL FOR BOTH WETS AND DRY.

A statistician says that half the fresh water is located on the St. Lawrence watershed. Here is campaign material for both the wets and the dries. A country that controls fifty per cent of the earth's drinking water surely needs no other drink; or a country that has nothing but an abundance of water with which to slake its thirst certainly ought to have a little beer. Everything depends on how you look at the situation.

WILL LEAVE ALL FOR DEMOCRATS TO SOLVE.

Washington reports that by July 1932, the Administration will have sent about a billion and a half on its building plan to relieve unemployment. Like most Republican assurances, it has to do with the future. The fact remains that at the present date, unemployment still persists. When the Republicans depart from power, as they are destined to do in 1932, they will leave not only the problem of unemployment for the Democrats to dispose of, but also the problem of handling the deficit which the G. O. P. has created by its makeshift and unsuccessful experiments.

NEXT WEEK FIRE PREVENTION WEEK BY PROCLAMATION

Right Kind of Education To Help Prevent Fires.

By W. F. Bond

By official proclamation the President of the United States has designated next week "National Fire Prevention Week." Of necessity we are all vitally interested in fire prevention. Through the National Board of Fire Underwriters we have found that eighty-five per cent of all fires can be removed at once if we only cooperate in the effort. Hot ashes, coals, open flames, and various and sundry debris around the premises are responsible for a great many of these fires.

There is a substantial fire loss in school property each year. Every school fire is a hazard to life and limb. It causes a serious interruption of the school program as well as a financial loss. Now is the ideal time for our school people to repair any defective flues in the schoolhouse, have the weeds cut near the schoolhouse, clean up any debris around the schoolhouse, and otherwise eliminate possible causes of fire at school. Every school teacher should enlist the cooperation of his pupils in keeping the schoolhouse and school premises clean and otherwise in preventing fires. The right kind of education at school will also prevent many fires in the home.

Radio talk over station W. J. D. X., October 7 will be on this subject.

WORSE THAN WEEVILS.

We are worse than all the weevils, We ourselves are endless evils, We who eat and whine and whimper, Like a teething child in temper While we curse the fate of cotton, Our own failings are forgotten.

Huey Long and all his raving Seems but salt that's lost its saving. Cotton stands or else is sold, In these times of tribulation, What we need is not to have it, But to wear it as we weave it.

We who strut in silk and satin, While their weavers feast and fatten, Merit little love or pity From the countryside or city. We deserve the whole world's scolding, In our alien-grown adorning.

Let us have the wit to use it, Let no blatant fool abuse it, Cotton is our King forever, Let us be loyal never, Burning cotton would be treason, Pure and simple, at this season.

We can eat it, we can wear it, If we have the wit to dare it, We can find a thousand uses, If we cease our vain excuses, We can win in any weather If we think and toil together.

Let us stand by this decision, To advance our fathers' vision, Let us bear our cotton banners, Shouting, singing glad hosannas, Till they float from every steeple, O'er a proud and happy people.

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HABITS LEARNED IN FIRST YEARS ARE LASTING ONES

They Are Learned Not Inherited—Teach Children Early

By Felix J. Underwood

Habit is the tendency to repeat what has been done before. It is a way of behaving, thinking, or feeling that, once established, is easily followed. Habits are learned, not inherited. Once learned, they are great time-savers.

A child learns to pull on a coat, to button and unbutton his clothes, to use a fork and a spoon, by trying and trying again. An adult does hundreds of complicated acts without thought or attention, making use of habits learned in childhood. Think of the time saved each day because adults can wash, eat, sew, write, read, and handle tools almost automatically.

Many people think of habits only as ways of acting and forget the even more important habits of thinking and feeling. Children not only learn the habit of getting into their clothes, but learn to like certain colors and to dislike a dirty dress, suit, or torn stockings. So they develop the habits which are called "good taste" or "neatness" or "daintiness." Even attitudes toward life are partly a matter of habit. Children learn to be cheerful and happy, or sulky and cross, according to the habits they form.

Teaching a child to do habitually and without conscious effort the things that make for good health is one of the first duties of parents. The health habits have to do with the fundamental daily activities of the child—eating, sleeping, playing, eliminating, and keeping the body clean and suitably clothed. Most of these habits should be learned in the first three or four years of life. Once learned they must last a lifetime.

LITTLE ECHOES

Britain to seek gold parity before return to gold standard.

United States Steel cuts wages 10 per cent on Oct. 1; Bethlehem follows.

President Hoover shocked at wage cut by Steel Corporation.

72,943,000 in nation were of voting age last year.

Gay between man and ape witnessed, anthropologists hear in Paris.

Premier Laval is likely to sail for America on Oct. 16.

General Chiang says China is prepared for war against Japan.

Lisbon fliers safe after floating a week on ocean.

China hails Ja-an before League of Nations Council.

Lindberghs map 8,000 miles of China food area from air.

Federal aid total to reach \$1,613,481,000 by July, 1932.

Shous favors beer and wines as a democratic plank.

Commander O'Neil warns Legion on the bonus.

Soviet's situation shows marked improvement over year ago.

Nation's loss of income in slump set at \$50,000,000,000.

Old age pension system found to be cheaper than poorhouse.

Stocks drop 60 per cent in two years since slump began.

Leaders say Hoover's 1932 program has no dry modification.

August employment in nation is 3 per cent under July.

Japanese take all towns on Manchuria Railway.

Cotton prices fall to lowest since 1899.

Wholesale and retail commodity prices rose last month.

Federal men uncover outlaw radio operating to Moscow in code.

Episcopalians warned church must act in crisis to avert revolt.

August trade found duldest of this year in statisticians' survey.

Barr Association goes on record for repeal of prohibition.

President Ortiz Rubio of Mexico urges us to join League.

Woll urges America to avoid the dote and provide work.

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October 1st is a red letter day . . .

On that date almost 4,000 Mississippians, who have invested their funds in the Cumulative Preferred Stock of Mississippi Power Company, will receive a dividend check.

Four times each year for the past six years holders of our Preferred Stock have remembered the first day of January, April, July and October as the days on which they received their reward for thrift and careful investing.

The postman has never failed to remind our preferred stockholders every three months that they have made a wise investment. Mississippi Power Company dividend day is red letter day—all over Mississippi.

If you have funds to invest see any employee of this Company or write directly to the Investment Department at Gulfport.

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B. E. EATON, President.

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FAILURE

He felt himself a failure, day by day, He never gained a single shining goal.

There was no lucky break along his way, His breed seemed common, body, mind and soul.

His father and his mother both had been, Of common clay, before him; and his wife, Herself the daughter of defeated men, Had brought but little to his barren life.

Their children and their children's children, too, For generations, walked in lowly ways.

Not one of these, alas could ever do, A mighty deed of merit public praise.

They came, they went, unheralded, unsung, The very name they bore was held in scorn, A synonym for failure, on each tongue.

Until one day a little boy was born, He seemed of finer fibre from the start,

The neighbors gazed upon him in surprise, He had a way of winning every heart, Success was shining in his eager eyes.

He took the highest honors in the school, He worked his way through college, were he stood, Majestic, recognized by every rule,

The equal of the great and wise and good.

The pride of his profession and the star, To lead his people up to higher plains,

He left a record time can never mar, A thrilling story of transcendent gains.

The world is better for the life he led, His noble name is stamped upon his age,

The radiant wreaths about his hallowed head, Breathe inspiration for the brave and sage.

Those humble men and women of the past, Who felt themselves as failures in their day,

Attained to lofty stature at the last, Evolving, god-like, from their common clay.

There must have been within them, From the first,

Though latent long, a subtle spark divine;

So, though we fail, those things for which we thirst, Denied to us, may glorify our line.

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THE ECHO'S COOKING CLASS

The other day I heard this remark, "There is nothing better than plain perfectly cooked asparagus, hot and well buttered."

Seemingly there isn't. A feast indeed! But there are other arrangements and combinations that are so good it would be a pity to lose them. Give them a trial.

Eggs and Asparagus Au Gratin
5 hard-boiled eggs,
2 tablespoons butter,
2 tablespoons flour,
1/2 teaspoon salt,
1/2 teaspoon celery salt,
1-3 cup milk,
1-3 cup breadcrumbs.
Asparagus tips cooked or canned,
1/2 cup grated cheese.

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Slice eggs. Make a cream sauce which is laid a tiny cube of bright salt and celery salt. Add milk and cook until thick. Sprinkle bottom of greased baking dish with half the crumbs.

Place a layer of eggs in bottom of dish, pour over some white sauce, sprinkle with grated cheese, then a layer of asparagus. Repeat layers of egg, sauce, cheese and asparagus until all are used. Sprinkle top with paprika and remainder of crumbs and dots of butter. Bake until brown in oven 350 degrees.

Chicken Smothered in Asparagus.

Cook a hen until very tender and divide into pieces for serving rejecting bones and skin. Roll in seasoned flour, brown lightly in a frying pan in hot drippings. Make good sized rounds of toast, butter place in a shallow serving dish, lay a piece of chicken on each round asparagus round with hot cooked asparagus which has been cut in inch lengths. Pour over all a liberal amount of hot white sauce to which a beaten egg yolk has been added just after taking from the fire, stir rapidly while doing this to prevent curdling. Garnish with points of toast on each of

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CITY ECHOES.

—Mrs. A. T. Price has gone to Panama City, Fla., to visit her son, Justus Price, for an extended stay.

—The R. P. Hyams family has returned to New Orleans after spending the summer season at their beach home in Waveland.

—Mrs. E. E. Burke of New Orleans is spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gex of South Beach Boulevard. Mrs. Burke was before her marriage, Miss Stella Gex.

—Ruby Cooley of Kilm, who was a patient at the King's Daughters Hospital for several days was sufficiently recovered to return to her home Monday night.

—Dr. E. J. Anderson of Bay St. Louis will celebrate his birthday today, Thursday, in New Orleans by having luncheon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Anderson.

—Mrs. Agnes Bossich has returned to her home in Gueydon, La., after spending several weeks in this city as the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. R. Hart.

—Messrs. John A. and James T. Shansey, former well known and highly esteemed citizens of the Bay, but now residents of Pass Christian spent a few hours here last Monday.

—A party composed of Mrs. Leo Seal, Mrs. Clem Weston, Mrs. A. P. Smith and Miss Mary Perkins spent Thursday of this week in New Orleans on a combined business and pleasure trip.

—Mrs. Rosalie Ramond is now bookkeeper for Edwards Bros., local representatives of the Ford Motor Company. She replaces Miss Beyer who held the position for quite a while.

—Mrs. Tremolet and family residents on Hancock street for the past several years, have gone to New Orleans, where they will make their home in the future. Many friends regret their departure from our city.

—A five-foot shark was caught by a fisherman in the bay Saturday afternoon and when hoisted on the Taconi wharf attracted a number of curious persons who had never had a close view of one of the species.

—Mrs. W. B. Stout has as her guest, Mrs. E. B. Stout of Washington, D. C., who will be here for an extended visit. She was accompanied by her husband who returned to Washington Friday after a week's visit here.

—A fire in the attic at the home of Bryant Armstrong, colored, in St. George Street about 8 o'clock Wednesday morning brought out the fire engine and attracted quite a crowd. The blaze was quickly extinguished and but little damage was done.

—A party of Captain and Mrs. Alex Faye of Fenton, their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Depero and two little daughters, Meile and Yvonne, left Monday for a three weeks' visit in Hot Springs, Ark., making the trip in Captain Faye's Dodge car.

—Rev. A. J. Gmelch, pastor of the church of Our Lady of the Gulf, is expected to return home Wednesday of next week. He is enjoying a motor trip to the East and into Canada in company with Rev. Wm. Leech of Pass Christian and Rev. Carey of Clarksdale.

—Misses Judith and Joan Mauffray, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O. Mauffray, are enjoying their work at Western State Teachers' College, Bowling Green, Ky., where they matriculated at the opening of the session. Miss Judith had her first two years of college at the University of Mississippi and is now a junior. Miss Joan graduated at St. Joseph's Academy in the spring and is a college freshman.

—Hon. Robert L. Genin left Tuesday morning for Jackson to assume his duties as Hancock county's representative in the Lower House of the legislature, in obedience to Governor Bilbo's call for another special session. Mr. Genin was elected as the successor of the lamented Hon. Bryan T. Russell at a special election some months since and it was not thought he would ever be called upon to serve for even a day in the august body of lawmakers, the governor being "so sot agin" another session, but conditions throughout the State finally forced him to call the solons together. Mr. Genin has had experience in the legislature and his influence at this special session will be exerted to enact those measures which have for their purpose the job of getting our State out of the miserable, economical and financial muddle into which it was plunged through factional differences.

Mayor Traub Appoints Local Committee For Washington Celebration

Committee on the celebration of the Two Hundredth Anniversary of the Birth of George Washington, 1732-1932. February 22nd, 1932 to Thanksgiving Day, is announced as follows:

Mr. Laurent Dickson, Commander, Clermont R. Bontemps Post No. 139 American Legion.

Mr. Wilbur H. Driver, Master Bay St. Louis Lodge No. 429 F. & A. M.

Mr. Chas. A. Gordon, Grand Knight Pere Le Duc Council No. 522 Knights of Columbus.

George R. Rea, President Chamber of Commerce.

Chas. G. Moreau, Editor and Owner The Sea Coast Echo—President Rotary Club.

Brother Peter, President St. Stanislaus College.

S. J. Ingram, Superintendent Public Schools, Bay St. Louis, Miss.

Jos. V. Bontemps, Council Commander Cedar Grove Camp 507 U. W.

Dr. E. J. Anderson, Scoutmaster of Boy Scouts Troop No. 208, Bay St. Louis, Miss.

—Sidney Prague has returned from several days' business visit to Mobile and Pensacola.

—Born: On Thursday October 1, to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Arceneaux—a fine baby girl. This is the seventh child born to Mr. and Mrs. Arceneaux. Mother and baby reported doing well.

—Judge J. A. Breath has returned from a delightful two weeks' vacation in New Orleans where he has been guest of his daughter, Mrs. Victor Calogne and family of New Orleans. When questioned of his activities during the visit the judge replied: "I spent most of the time in a swinging bed on the front porch, just resting." He admitted to some "rushing around" in the nature of auto rides in the late afternoons and evenings. Judge Breath has a hale and hearty appearance following his much needed and well earned vacation, and shows no ill effects from his recent illness, from which he is happily recovered.

Negro Population In 4 Cities Doubled in 10 years

Washington, Sept. 29.—The changing racial complexion of cities of more than 100,000 population was pictured today by the census bureau. In all but Philadelphia of the 5 cities having a million population, the negro group had more than doubled in the past decade. In four cities the negro population had increased by more than 200 percent, in 16 cities by more than 100 percent.

The Indian was shown to have become far more civilized. Chinese and Japanese groups displayed a steady growth in cities where they have sizeable colonies.

Mexicans appeared for the first time as a distinctive classification, cities showing more than 10,000 of them being: Los Angeles, 97,116; San Antonio, 82,373; El Paso 58,291; Chicago 19,362; Houston 14,149.

In El Paso, the segregation of the Mexicans, hitherto lumped into the "white" classification, caused a 44.6 percent decrease in the "white" column, although the city grew by 32.1 percent.

Negro gains in cities of more than a million were:

	1920	1930	Pct.
New York	327,706	562,487	114.9
Chicago	233,903	398,458	131.7
Detroit	120,066	245,584	144.4
Los Angeles	38,894	155,779	149.7

SERIOUS LOSS

Mrs. Schmidt of Toulme street reports the loss of her pocket book in which was two valuable diamond ear rings and several diamond rings. It is understood that she has recently secured the jewelry from the safety box at the bank. Several pieces of the jewelry are said to be antiques.

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P. T. A. Workers Active In Membership Drive

The following committee has been appointed by the president of the Parent Teachers' Association to institute the drive for the coming year: Mrs. A. P. Smith, chairman, with five grade mothers as assistants; namely: Mrs. H. D. Hill, Mrs. Leo W. Seal, Mrs. L. W. Jacobs, Mrs. Josie Olsen, and Mrs. H. Phillips.

Each grade mother in turn has appointed two captains, one working under the white thereby forming two teams competing for supremacy in the drive.

Realizing that the majority of responsibility for the child's progress in school depends on the parents cooperation with the school faculty, we, the present members of the P. T. A., take this means of urging all parents to take out a membership in the organization and in such a way make possible greater progress and the offering of greater advantages to our children.

It is to the interest of the parents as well as to that of the children that every family be represented in so vital an organization.

Road Work Increases

Jackson, Miss., Sept. 27.—Highway construction in Mississippi during the seventh-month period, February to August, this year exceeded all work reported for the year 1930, according to the federal bureau of public roads.

In 1930 the state was credited with hard-surfacing 55 miles of highways, while in the seven-month period this year the state highway department paved 44 miles and constructed 155 miles of new highways from federal emergency construction funds, an addition to numerous county paving projects carried through with federal aid funds.

Withdrawal of federal aid funds in 1929 due to the legislature not financing a road program coupled with the political tribulations of the eight-member highway commission, were chief factors in the curtailed 1930 road program.

Total mileage in the Mississippi system, according to the federal report, was 6,101 miles, with 5,337 surfaced, most of which fell in the low-class surfacing classification.

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M. C. McCormick, 2-horse Moving Machine with 3—4 1/2 feet knives, knife-sharpener and hay rake—\$100.00. Apply John B. Favre, Waveland, Miss. 9-25—4tp.

FOR RENT
Lorch's Cottage furnished; seven rooms with bath; oil and wood stove; electric heater. Apply 224 North Front street. 9-25—3tc

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FOR RENT
Complete Bowling Alley. Apply Boston Shoe Store. Telephone 62.

HOUSE FOR RENT
Dwelling on first block in Carroll avenue; unfurnished. Apply Boston Shoe Store. Telephone 62.

LOST
One pair Tortoise Shell Glasses in leather case between St. Joseph Academy and Washington Street. Return and receive reward at 108 Washington Street. 8-2—1t

LOST
A Beaded Purse, on Carroll Street between Railroad and Toulme street, Tuesday, containing jewelry and cash. Liberal reward for return or information. Apply 306 Toulme.

IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

(By Our Society Editor)

MR. AND MRS. ROBERT REA SPENDING HONEYMOON HERE.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Rea are spending a portion of their honeymoon in Bay St. Louis as guests of Mr. Rea's uncle, George R. Rea and Mrs. Rea of Washington street. Robert Rea, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Rea of Wesson, Miss., and Mrs. Helen Byrd Borchers, daughter of Mrs. Ida Mangus Borchers of Birmingham, were married in Birmingham Saturday night, 8 o'clock, at the West End Methodist church, with Dr. Claude Grear of Athens, officiating, assisted by Dr. John Turner. The nuptial musical program was rendered by Miss Evelyn Sellers. The bride's attendants were Miss Rosalind Jones, maid of honor; Miss Gladys Davis, Miss Edith Rome, Miss Mildred Coan and Miss Elizabeth Rea, the latter the sister of the bride, bridesmaids, and Mrs. Alvin Jeffords, matron of honor. Mr. Rea was attended by Robert Edwin Rea, best man, Dr. Charles Alley, Keith Hines, Gibbs Hitchcock and Erwin Rea, brother of the bridegroom, ushers.

Following the ceremony the bride's mother entertained at a reception for the bridal party and out of town guests. Mr. and Mrs. Rea are having a motor trip through the Gulf States and will make their home on their return at Anniston, Ala. Mrs. Rea was reared in Birmingham and received her degree from Birmingham-Southern last June. She is a member of the Alpha Omicron Pi sorority and Amazon Club. Mr. Rea was graduated from Mississippi A. & M. College and was a member of Sigma Phi Delta fraternity. He is employed with the Alabama Power Company in Anniston. He is known on the coast where he has visited since his youth.

ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE.

Mrs. Henry Osinach entertained informally at two tables of bridge Tuesday night. Prize winners at the close of play were: Miss Vaughn and Dr. Smith. The hostess served tempting refreshments. Those playing were: Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Smith, Dr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Evans, Miss Helen Vaughn, Miss Elizabeth Blount and Mr. and Mrs. Osinach.

TWO TABLES OF BRIDGE.

Mrs. J. S. DeBen entertained Wednesday afternoon at two tables of bridge. The prize winners were: high score, Mrs. Gex; second, Mrs. Kergosien; consolation, Mrs. Burke. The hostess served dainty party refreshments. Those playing cards were: Mrs. Coburn Weston, Mrs. Sidney Prague, Mrs. Lucien Gex, Mrs. Horace Kergosien, Mrs. Milton Phillips, Mrs. E. E. Burke of New Orleans, Miss Beatrice Smith and Mrs. De Ben.

THE QUEEN OF THE ISLE.

It was on Campbell's Island, That I discovered my fate, It was on the broad Atlantic, On the side of the cape.

It was that magic mirror That helped to escape, It was that daring man, It was that daring fate.

The haunted room, Old Campbell's Castle, It came too soon, The worst hereafter.

All was confused and undefined, In his jarred and maddened mind, But madly still in each extreme, He strove with that maddened dream.

He knew not, he asks not, That I discovered my fate, Put he knows that I love thee, Whatever thou art.

Then on the moonlight air arose That awful sighing cry, That echoed true that saddened house Calling to the sky.

—MELVIN JOHNSON.



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CITY TAKES OVER COMMUNITY BAND—NOW MUNICIPAL BAND

Announcement comes from Mayor Charles Traub, S., to the effect that the Community Band of Bay St. Louis is now organized, by Chas. A. Breath, Jr., has been taken over by the City and will now be known as the Municipal Band, under the direction of Mr. Harold H. Ramsey.

Mayor Traub says that anyone can join the band and learn music free of charge, but of course, must furnish his or her own instrument.

This is quite an opportunity for local young boys and girls, who may wish to play some musical instrument.

Bilbo Pardons Lifers And Robbers of Bank

Jackson, Miss., Sept. 29.—Two convicted bank robbers, a woman who is alleged to have beaten a stenographer in connection with domestic troubles and two life-termers, were among persons receiving pardons today from Governor T. G. Bilbo.

Martinez Monk and Irene Forest, convicted in 1928 in connection with the robbery of the Bank of Lumberton, were given releases from 15-year sentences, while Mrs. K. A. Carney, Coahoma county, was relieved executive order from a sentence of alleged assault and battery.

The Earl Holmes, Walker county, and John Paitley, Perry county, were the two sentenced in 1928 to serve life sentences for murder who received executive clemency.

High School Inspector Visits Bay St. Louis

The Bay St. Louis High school has as its guest Wednesday Sam B. Hawthorn, high school supervisor from the state department of education, who made a complete inspection of the school in all departments, under the supervision of S. J. Ingram, head of the local school. Mr. Hawthorn addressed the high school student body at a chapel period, explaining to them high school ideals and requirements for recognition.

BUDGET — 1931-1932 HANCOCK COUNTY, MISS.

The State of Mississippi, Hancock County.

Board of Supervisors, September Term A. D. 1931.

Be it remembered, that at the above stated term of the Board of Supervisors of said County an order was made by said Board which was in the following words and figures to-wit:

ADMINISTRATIVE

Assessor	\$250.00
Duty Assessors	250.00
County Bldgs. and Grounds	6000.00
Clerk of Board	1150.00
County Auditor	1200.00
Elections	1071.00
Pension Boards	48.00
Official Bonds	1100.00
Copying Assmt. Rolls	1200.00

JUDICIAL

Courts	3500.00
Clerk of Courts	1800.00
Sheriff	450.00
Justice of Peace	420.00
Constables	300.00
County Stenographers	585.00

PROTECTION OF PERSON AND PROPERTY

Conveying Prisoners and Lunatics	300.00
Game Wardens	600.00
Tick Eradication	250.00
Convict Guards & Expenses	3000.00

CONSERVATION OF HEALTH

County Health Officer	3250.00
Vital Statistics	150.00

HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE

Road Maintenance	22,500.00
Edrings	990.00
City of Bay St. Louis (Estimated)	10,000.00
Town of Waveland (Estimated)	2,800.00

CHARITIES & CORRECTIONS.

Poorhouse Maintenance	3,000.00
Poorhouse Buildings	250.00
Prisoners	3,500.00
Kings Daughters	800.00
Childrens Home	100.00

EDUCATION

Superintendent of Education	1,600.00
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ADVERTISING

Advertising	300.00
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INTEREST

Issue January 1st. 1913	3,000.00
Issue March 1st. 1923	15,840.00
Issue March 1st. 1925	6,480.00
Issue May 1st. 1925	7,290.00
Issue July 1st. 1925	4,383.75
Road Protection Bonds	64,611.25

BONDS

Issue March 1st. 1923	16,000.00
Issue March 1st. 1925	8,000.00
Issue May 1st. 1925	9,000.00
Issue July 1st. 1925	6,000.00
Road Protection Bonds	25,000.00

CURRENT LOANS

Loan Warrants	45,000.00
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I, A. G. Favre, clerk of the Chancery Court and ex-officio clerk of the Board of Supervisors in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing transcript is a true and correct copy of an order of the Board of Supervisors passed and entered at their September Term 1931 as fully and completely as the same appears of record in Minute Book No. 997-398.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 28th day of September, A. D. 1931.

A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

C. B. MOLLERE

I. G. A. STORE WAVELAND, MISS.

FRIDAY & SATURDAY SPECIALS

COFFEE & CHICKORY, 1 lb. ---- 15c

GREEN COFFEE 2 lbs. ---- 15c

MILK Pet or Borden's, 2 tall cans ---- 13c

MALT Blue Ribbon ---- 45c

POTATOES Fancy White 5 lbs. ---- 12c

PRUNES nice size 1 lb. ---- 5c

RICE FANY 5 lbs. ---- 19c

BACON Sliced per lb. ---- 20c

BACON Smoked per lb. ---- 15c

MAYONNAISE Hellman's 8 oz. 10c

LEMONS Large, per doz. ---- 20c

SUGAR 10 lbs. ---- 49c

CORNER BEEF IGA 1 lb. can 19c

BEETS IGA No. 2 1/2 can ---- 10c

COFFEE & CHICKORY Union or Luzianne per lb. ---- 22c

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF HANCOCK COUNTY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1930-1931.

Be it ordered by the Board that the following statement showing aggregate revenues collected and disbursed in the County during the current year for county purposes be published which statement is as follows:

BOND FUND

Receipts	\$34,955.08
Disbursements	3,000.00

GAME & FORESTRY FUND

Receipts	1,062.39
Disbursements	900.00

GENERAL COUNTY FUND

Receipts	67,694.76
Disbursements	56,522.41

LOAN WARRANT FUND

Receipts	15,428.34
Disbursements	15,400.00

GENERAL COUNTY LOAN WARRANT

Receipts	421.20
Disbursements	400.00

ROAD & BRIDGE WARRANT

Receipts	367.35
Disbursements	200.00

PENSIONS FUND

Receipts	1,476.65
Disbursements	1,338.90

ROAD & BRIDGE FUND

Receipts	91,874.30
Disbursements	91,666.50

ROAD & BRIDGE BOND FUND

Receipts	80,295.97
Disbursements	65,301.92

ROAD PROTECTION FUND

Receipts	210.79
Disbursements	121.57

ROAD PROTECTION BOND FUND

Receipts	135,942.48
Disbursements	97,108.33

SCHOOL LOAN WARRANT

Receipts	5,794.86
Disbursements	3,750.00

SEA WALL FUND

Receipts	155.04
Disbursements	58.75